

GERMANS APPEAR ALMOST TO HAVE SHOT BOLT, KITCHENER'S CHEERING REPORT TO HOUSE OF LORDS

RECRUITING MEETINGS SHOWING GOOD RESULTS

Rousing Gathering Last Night
With Good Speakers—Four-
teen More Recruits.

Fourteen recruits were signed on yesterday, making a total of 144 for the 64th Battalion as a result of the campaign started in the city eleven days ago. The meeting last night, held in the St. Andrew's rink, was a most enthusiastic one. Three speakers, a band and a large representative gathering were the features of the meeting. Splendid addresses were given by Fred M. Sproul, ex-M. P. of Hampton, and Police Magistrate Ritchie, while F. W. Wallace, mayor of Sussex, was present with his message to the people as to why he offered his services for the front. A. H. Wetmore presided and the City Cornet Band played at intervals.

Those who applied last night attended and finally sworn in were: William Christie, Glasgow, Scotland. J. L. Kierstead, Albert, N. B. Dennis White, Newfoundland. Oscar Nelson, Sweden, (Canadian citizen.) Harold Lindsay, St. John. Fred G. Colahan, Boston, Mass., (Canadian parents.) Thomas Evans, St. John. Walter Cobham, St. John.

As the recruiting office during the day: Fred. Charles Odell, St. John. Thomas Herbert, Rexton, N. B. Adolph Perry, Rexton, N. B. Fred Lawson, St. John. George E. Ball, Fredericton. Leander Sebeine, St. John.

That further efforts are going to be made by the citizens' campaign committee for greater results as regards recruiting arises from the fact that another organization meeting will be held this morning at ten o'clock and plans for tonight's meeting will be completed. The committee is going to continue the work in the city until all possible recruits can be obtained. Another battalion, the 105th, has yet to be raised and Lieut.-Col. Fowler will need men just as fast as he can get them. To quote Fred M. Sproul, ex-M. P., men are wanted now, not next winter or next spring, but now.

Mayor Wallace, F. W. Wallace, Mayor of Sussex, called upon. He appealed strongly to the young men to get out of their selfishness and indifference. Mr. Wallace has applied for a commission with Lieut.-Col. G. W. Fowler. He has made a great sacrifice, leaving a family and one of the best undertakings in the city to go to the front. He is the son of a British soldier, and he is following in the footsteps of his father.

Fred M. Sproul. The next speaker introduced by Chairman A. H. Wetmore, was Fred M. Sproul, ex-M. P. of Hampton. He made a splendid appeal to the young manhood of the Loyalist city to awake to the fact that they are needed on the battlefields of France and Belgium. He said: "Once more citizens of St. John, it is my privilege and duty to remind the men of this city of the insistent call from across the water to take a more active part in the present struggle. From the highest military authority in England, even Kitchener, comes the call that every available man should bear arms. Do not you think he knows? From the military authorities in Canada comes the call that every man in this broad Dominion is needed. Do you not think they know? Every man back to Canada, from the thousands already at the front, from the Canadians who have hurried back the best of German blood at Ypres, repeats in a most authoritative manner the old Macedonian call, 'Come over and help us.' Against this most unscrupulous foe, more barbarous, more cruel, than the savage Indian of former days, possessed with the most inventive genius for carrying on a war almost to hell, comes the call from the brave Canadians at the front, and your friends and brothers, for men, more men and still more men. Why should there be such an indifference on the part of the people of St. John?"

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21 AIR BATTLES IN WEEK OVER GERMAN LINE

Hostile Aircraft Driven to
Ground in Eleven Cases,
Filed Marshal Sir John
French Reports.

London, Sept. 15.—The Press Bureau issues a report from Field Marshal Sir John French, in which the British commander says: "Since my last communication, September 9, there has been no change in the situation on our front. There has been considerable artillery activity on both sides, more particularly southeast of Armentieres and in the neighborhood of Ypres. "Three hostile aeroplanes were brought down within the past four days. Of these two were hit by our anti-aircraft guns and fell inside the German lines. The third was shot down by our air pilots and fell in our lines. The hostile machine was only slightly damaged, but both pilot and observer were killed. "During the past week there have been twenty-one air fights over the German lines, and in eleven cases the hostile aeroplanes were driven to the ground. "On September 10 our artillery, assisted by aeroplanes direction, bombarded two German observation balloons located east of Ypres. One balloon burst, while the second was deflated and removed. "Mining activity has continued, but without important results on either side."

ALLAN LINER PRETORIAN WAS IN COLLISION

Ran Into Str. Kansan off Saguenay River Yesterday—Believed Damage Not Great.

Quebec, Sept. 15.—The Allan liner R. M. S. Pretorian, which was damaged slightly in collision with the steamship Kansan off the Saguenay river this morning, passed Crane Island shortly before ten o'clock tonight and is due in port early tomorrow morning. Officials of the Allan Line here state that as far as they know the Pretorian was only slightly damaged, and is making a little water in the fore peak. It is not known if the steamship Kansan has been injured by the impact or not.

LADY ALLAN HAS RECOVERED.

London, Sept. 15. (Gazette Cable)—It was announced today that Lady Allan, of Montreal, had completely recovered from the injuries sustained when the Lusitania was torpedoed.

THANKSGIVING DAY MONDAY, OCT. 11.

Special to The Standard. Ottawa, Sept. 15.—Thanksgiving Day will be on Monday, October 11th, according to an announcement made after a cabinet meeting this afternoon.

RESPONSE TO CALL FOR MEN ALMOST MARVELOUS, WAR SECRETARY SAYS, BUT THERE MUST BE STEADY STREAM TO FRONT

War Secretary Reviews Work of Past Few Months—Nearly Quarter Million Men Trained and Sent to Join Sir John French's Army, and British Position Strengthened by Men and Guns, While French Hold Almost Impregnable Line.

Russian Army's Masterly Retreat in East One of Most Brilliant Episodes of the War

Barren Territory and Empty Fortresses What
Germans Have Taken in East at Enormous
Sacrifice of Life—Asquith Asks for \$1-
250,000,000 Vote of Credit—Announces
Three Million Men Have Enlisted Since
War Broke Out.

London, Sept. 15.—"The Germans appear almost to have shot their bolt," said Earl Kitchener, secretary for war, today. "Their advance in Russia, which at one time averaged five miles a day, now has diminished to less than one mile a day."

Earl Kitchener's statement was made in a review of the war in the House of Lords. "THE RESPONSE OF THE COUNTRY TO CALLS FOR RECRUITS HAS BEEN LITTLE SHORT OF MARVELOUS," HE SAID, "BUT THE PROBLEM HOW TO INSURE THE FIELD FORCE BEING KEPT AT FULL STRENGTH IS ENGAGING OUR CLOSE ATTENTION AND WILL, I HOPE, SOON RECEIVE A PRACTICAL SOLUTION. I DO NOT FOR ONE INSTANT DOUBT THAT WHATEVER SACRIFICE MAY PROVE NECESSARY WILL BE UNDERTAKEN CHEERFULLY BY OUR PEOPLE."

This was the only portion of Earl Kitchener's speech which might be regarded as a reference to the possibilities of conscription. Regarding military operations the War Secretary said: "For the last few months the front held by the Allies in the west has been practically unchanged. This does not mean that there has been relaxation of effective work on the part of the forces in the field, for the continuous local fighting which has taken place all along the line has called for the display of incessant vigilance. "Meanwhile, our positions have been much strengthened, not only by careful elaboration of the system of trench fortifications that already existed but also by a large increase in the number of heavy guns which have been placed along our lines."

"The Germans recently on several occasions used gas and liquid fire. The enemy have bombarded our lines with asphyxiating shells but these forms of attack, lacking as they do, the element of surprise have failed in their object and lost much of their offensive value, owing to steps taken by us to counteract the effect of these pernicious methods."

French's Army Reinforced by New Trained Men.

"As new armies have become trained and ready to take the field considerable reinforcements have been sent out to join Field Marshal French's command. You will be glad to hear his opinion of these troops, communicated to me. He writes: 'The units appear to be thoroughly well-offered and commanded. The equipment is in good order and efficient. Several units of artillery have been tested behind the firing line in the trenches, and I heard very good reports of them. Their shooting has been extremely good and they are quite fit to take their place in the line.' "These new divisions have now had the opportunity of acquiring by experience in actual warfare that portion of the necessary training of soldiers which it was impossible to give them in this country, and once acquired, will enable them effectively to take their places in line with the rest of the British army."

"With these additional reinforcements, amounting to eleven divisions (about two hundred and ten thousand men), Sir John French has been able to extend his lines and take over from the French approximately seventeen miles of additional front. "Throughout the summer months the French have held their own, along their extended line of the front and in some places, notably near Arras and in Alsace, have made substantial progress."

"French trenches along the entire front have been developed and strengthened, and now everywhere present a network of almost impregnable fortifications. Of this I was able to satisfy myself during a visit lately to our Allies, at the invitation of General Joffre, when I was profoundly impressed with the high state of efficiency and morale of the French army. It was evident that officers and men recognized that the only possible termination to the war was to inflict on the enemy a thorough defeat. Their resolution to do this was never firmer or more intense."

Day of Fortresses Has Passed In this she certainly is no less capable today than she was a century

AUSTRO-GERMAN ARMY FALLING BACK ACROSS DNEISTER

Russians Hammering Hard at
the Enemy's Line in
Galicia.

GEN. VON HINDENBURG'S DRIVE CONTINUES.

German Advance Along Rest of
Front Slows Down in Face of
Stubborn Fighting of Czar's
Army.

London, Sept. 15. (10.10 p. m.)—Field Marshal Von Hindenburg's drive towards the Dvinsk-Vilna railway is not progressing as fast as his previous enterprises of a similar kind have done, and except at one or two points about midway between these towns, where his cavalry have cut the railway, he is still being stubbornly opposed by the Russians, who are making vigorous counter-attacks.

Von Hindenburg, however, has reached a point west of the bridgehead across from the town of Dvinsk, and is preparing to attack that fortified area. Along the rest of the line the German advance has also slowed down, while in Galicia the Russians are still attacking, and, according to unofficial reports from Bucharest and other points, the Austro-German armies are falling back across the Dniester river. Just north of the Gallician border the Russians also are on the offensive, and are making an attempt to recapture the fortress of Dugno, which the Austrians took last week. This offensive in the south, it is believed, will have an effect on the rest of the front, as reinforcements must soon be sent there, or the Teutonic Allies will run the danger of being outflanked. Despite this, the Austrians have sent reinforcements against Italy and have, at some parts of the line, assumed the offensive.

LIBERAL VIEW OF GENERAL ELECTION

Special to The Standard. Ottawa, Ont., Sept. 15.—When Sir Wilfrid Laurier recovers sufficiently to be able to leave the hospital it is expected that he will go for a long rest to his old home at Arthabaska, although it has been said he has been advised to go south. Before he goes an effort will in all likelihood be made by the government to discover what the attitude of the opposition is going to be regarding the proposed extension of the present parliamentary term until a stated period after the war is over. It is learned, however, that there is already no doubt what the attitude of the opposition will be. A leading Liberal stated to The Standard today that any extension of the term "they anticipate, therefore, that parliament will be summoned in late November and that the offer of an extension will be made by the government in the House. Upon the refusal of the opposition to entertain it the Liberals expect there will be a general election in January."

NO NEW DEVELOPMENTS FOR COUPLE OF WEEKS BERNSTORFF SAYS

New York, Sept. 15.—There will be no developments in the situation as regards the United States and Germany for at least two weeks, Count Von Bernstorff said to newspaper men today in reply to requests for a statement on his arrival here from Washington. "You know," he said, "that I never see or talk to newspaper men. Anyhow, I will state this much. There will be no developments in the situation on which you seek light for at least two weeks. The negotiations are now going on and it will take at least a fortnight for anything definite to be stated."

Fighting in North Sea.

London, Sept. 15. (11.46 p. m.)—A despatch to Reuters Telegram Company from Maastricht, Holland, says: "Heavy firing can be heard in a westerly direction. It commenced at 9.30 o'clock this evening, and by ten o'clock became so violent that windows both here and at the Hook of Holland were set rattling."

BETTING IN LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE DARBANELLES FORCED BEFORE NOVEMBER

London, Sept. 15.—(Gazette Cable)—It is notorious that the stock exchange is often better informed of political events than parliamentary circles, so it is interesting to note that on 'Change bets are being freely offered that the Gallipoli peninsula will be freed of Turks and the way to Constantinople opened before the end of October.

FRANCE TO ISSUE NEW WAR LOAN SOON

Paris, Sept. 15.—Alexandre Ribot, the French minister of finance, announced to the appropriations committee of the Chamber of Deputies today that the government would soon issue a large loan.

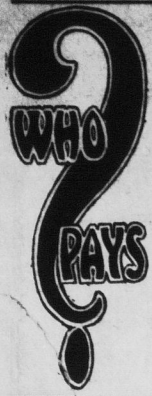
ITALY'S PART IN THE WAR

"Dwelling on Italy's part in the war, Earl Kitchener said: "The achievements of the Italian artillery have been truly remarkable, and the manner in which heavy pieces were hauled into almost inaccessible positions on lofty mountain peaks, and in spite of great difficulties, evokes universal admiration. "The Italian army now occupies strategic positions of first-rate importance. The gallant conduct of the line in action has impressed upon their enemies the great military value of the Italian army, while the bold feats of Alpine troops, when scaling rugged mountain sides, were marvellous samples of successful enterprise."

"On the Gallipoli peninsula, during operations in June, several Turkish trenches were captured and our own lines appreciably advanced and our positions consolidated. "Considerable reinforcements having arrived, a surprise landing on a large scale at Suvla Bay was successfully accomplished on the sixth of August, without any serious opposition. "At the same time an attack was launched by the Australian and New Zealand corps from the Anzac position, and a strong offensive was delivered from the Cape Helles, in the direction of Krithia. In this latter action French troops played a prominent part and showed to high advantage their usual gallantry and fine fighting qualities."

"The attack from Anzac, after a series of hotly contested actions, was carried to the summit of Sari Bair and Chanak Bair, dominating positions in this area. The arrival of transports and the disembarkation of troops in Suvla Bay was designed to enable troops to support this attack. Unfortunately, however, the advance from Suvla Bay was not developed quickly enough and the movement forward was brought to a standstill after an advance of about two and one-half miles."

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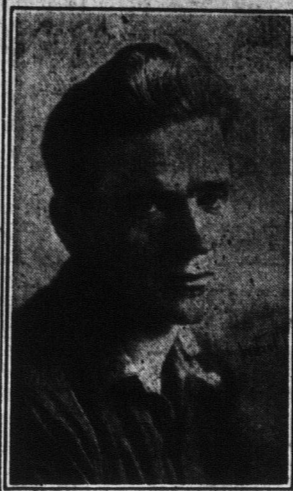
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RECRUITING MEETINGS SHOWING GOOD RESULTS

(Continued from page 1) I was struck with the fact in walking up here tonight from the depot, that I saw so many young men of military age standing on the streets and loitering in shops, all totally indifferent to the call. I cannot conceive that it is non-loyalty. Such a feeling does not exist in this good old loyal city. Is it over confidence? Perhaps some of you believe that the overwhelming and predominant power of the British Empire will win out for the Empire. Let me tell you young men the Empire was never in greater need than it is today. There never was such a gigantic conflict as is now going on at the present time on the continent of Europe. It overtops all former military attempts on the part of the nations. And when I tell you that the boys from Canada are playing a most important part in that conflict, and when they call for you to join them, I say there ought to be a strong and most urgent appeal to you young men to go over and bear the burdens also.

For Justice.

"We ought to be particularly grateful to know that the stand which Great Britain has taken in the defence of honor, justice, freedom and the right, is not only a stand on the behalf of Belgium, but also for us. What flag has protected us from the ambitions of a spying nation? What flag has given us free access to every port on the face of the globe? What flag has granted us freedom, right of way and protection on the deep? None but the dear old Union Jack and should not this spirit impel us today to show our gratitude? We owe our religion, which has been defended throughout the ages to the Motherland and today England expects us to do as Nelson's days, "England expects every man to do his duty."

A Strong Appeal.

Mr. Sprout continuing said: "Are we to be told that the young men of this city are lax. You won't be at a picnic, you won't be playing baseball or tennis, and some of you will die on the field of glory, but the fittest place where man can die is where he dies for men (Cheers). The field is red with blood that has been shed, but the enemy met defeat and the Canadians said, 'we die, but we won't retreat.' "The time has come when this war has assumed a frightful aspect. It was bad enough but it is worse now. The lives in England snuffed out by the Zeppelin bombs are calling for revenge. Suppose a Zeppelin appeared over St. John and dropped a few explosives on the Home of the Good Shepherd and the Home of the Aged, all would be aroused then, but all too late. The place today is on the battlefields of Europe (Cheers). Many must be driven back over the waters of the red Rhine. Once before the Rhine was crossed by British troops and we trust once again the British drums and bugles will resound over mountains and through their valleys. "The time has come when an appeal must be made to you directly. To you young men, not the married men. To you who serve behind the counters, to you who play baseball, to you who play tennis, to you who soon will be playing football, the time has come when you should have stronger medicine and you will get that at the front. Are you going to forget all those privileges, those traditions so gloriously won and handed down by your forefathers on fields of blood. 100,000 Men. Canada can send 100,000 more men without the least trouble, if men will only awake to the fact that the time is now. Men are wanted by England, by Canada, by your mothers and wives now, not next winter, not next

MUST KEEP UP STEADY STREAM OF MEN TO FIRING LINE KITCHENER SAYS

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"The result was that the troops from Anzac were unable to retain their position on the crest of the hills, and after being repeatedly counter-attacked they were ordered to withdraw to positions lower down. These positions have been effectively consolidated and, now joining with the line occupied by the Suvla Bay force, from a connected front of more than twelve miles. "From the latter position a further attack on the Turkish entrenchments was delivered on the 21st, but after several hours of sharp fighting it was not found possible to gain the summit of the hills occupied by the enemy, and the space being unsuitable for defence, the troops were withdrawn to their original position. "Since then, comparative quiet has prevailed, and much needed rest has been given to our troops. "In the course of these operations the gallantry and resourcefulness of the Australian and New Zealand troops frequently has formed the subject of eulogy in General Hamilton's reports. "It is not easy to appreciate, at their full value, the enormous difficulties which have attended the operations in the Dardanelles or the fine war against Germany, to preserve honor and Christian righteousness for treating a bargain as a scrap of paper."

Sergt. Knight Away.

Sergeant Norman Knight of the Gordon Highlanders, who has been engaged in speaking at the recruiting meetings in St. John and who is largely responsible for the excellent showing made in the first week of the campaign, left for Fredericton last night to address a recruiting meeting in that city. Before returning to his home in Halifax he will visit Newcastle, Chatham, Blackville, Bathurst and Moncton in the interest of recruiting. Sergeant Knight during his stay in St. John created a very favorable impression. He was after recruits and he got them. Some of the men who enlisted as a result of the direct appeal of Sergeant Knight were among the best in the city.

Mrs. Brown.

Mrs. Nettie B. Brown, who came to the city from Montreal in the interest of recruiting, and the Women's Volunteer Reserve, left for her home last night on the Pacific express.

Artillery.

All members of No. 1 Battery, 3rd Canadian Regiment Garrison Artillery are requested to parade at the armory at eight o'clock sharp. Business of importance, by order of

LIEUT. A. L. FOWLER,

Battery Commander. Lieut. Fowler also wishes to state that recruits are needed for No. 1 Battery. All those desiring to take on service in the militia of Canada can apply at the armory tonight at eight o'clock. This is a splendid opportunity to train as a soldier and receive instruction in artillery in preparation for any emergency which might present itself. Instruction will begin as soon as you sign on. Those who went forward to Sussex last night as recruits for the 64th, were:

- William Coates.
- Robert McLeod.
- Albert Mason.
- George E. Extell.
- Harry R. Moffat.
- Frank Anderson.
- Nelson R. Manning.
- A. G. Campbell.
- Thomas Hebert.
- Adolph Barry.
- George Frye.
- Robert H. Myles.

Leander Sabers, temper with which our troops have met them. "There is now abundant evidence of

a process of demoralization having set in among the German-led, or rather German-driven Turks, due, no doubt, to their extremely heavy losses and to the progressive failure of their resources. It is only fair to acknowledge that, judged from a humane point of view, the methods of warfare pursued by the Turks are vastly superior to those which have disgraced their German masters.

"Throughout the co-operation of the fleet has been intensely valuable, and the concerted action between the sister services has been in every way in the highest degree satisfactory. "Of the fighting in Mesopotamia, Earl Kitchener said reconnaissance had shown that the Euphrates was clear of Turks for distance of sixty miles. "Since this victory," he added, "there has been no further fighting on the Euphrates, Tigris or Karun rivers. Climatic conditions in this theatre of war have rendered the operations extremely arduous. "As I have informed your Lordships, some of the new armies we have prepared and equipped for the war are already in the field, and others will quickly follow them. The response of the country to our calls for recruits to form these armies has been little short of marvellous, but it must be borne in mind that the provision of men to maintain the forces in the field depends, to a great degree, on a large and continuous supply of recruits. "The provision to keep up their strength during 1916 has caused us anxious thought, which has been accentuated and rendered more pressing by the recent fallings-off in the numbers coming forward to enlist, although every effort has been made to obtain our requirements under the present system.

"I am sure we all fully realize that the strength of the armies we are sending out must be fully maintained to the very end. To fulfill this purpose we shall require a large addition to the numbers of recruits joining the forces. The problem of how to secure an adequate supply of men, and thus ensure the field force being kept up to its full strength, is engaging our close attention and will, I hope, very soon receive a practical solution. "The provisions of the Registration Act, which will shortly be available, will, no doubt, give us the basis on which to calculate the resources of the country and to determine the number of men available for the army, after providing for the necessary services of the country, as well as those of our munition works. "Whatever decision may be arrived at, in the full light of the facts before us, must undoubtedly be founded on military requirement for the prosecution of the war and the protection of our shores, and will be the result of an impartial inquiry as to how we can most worthily fulfill our national obligations. "Although there has been a falling off in the number of recruits, I do not draw from this fact any conclusion unfavorable to the resolution and spirit of the country. On the contrary, I think now, as I always have thought, that the manner in which all classes have responded to the call of patriotism is magnificent, and I do not, for one instant, doubt that whatever sacrifices may prove necessary to bring this gigantic war to a successful conclusion will be cheerfully undertaken by our people."

DIED.

McAFEE—At his late residence, Red Head, on Wednesday afternoon, George McAfee, aged 73 years, leaving a wife and daughter to mourn. (Boston papers please copy.) Funeral on Friday afternoon at 2:30. Service at the house at two o'clock.

FREDERICTON HORSE WINS 2:30 TROT IN HALIFAX MEET

Halifax, Sept. 15.—Over 10,000 persons attended the exhibition today. There were two races and both were won in straight heats. The track was heavy and the time slow. The money winners: Three-Year-Old Trot Stake, Purse \$400 Brage, Halifax, (Boutlier) 1 1 Fryfat, Fredericton, (Cameron) 2 2 Little Daisy, Lunenburg, (Carroll) 3 3 Biona, Charlottetown, (Kelly) ds 1 Bessie B., Centreville, (Lyford) ds 2 Time—2:33 1/2, 2:40 1/2, 2:44 1/2. *—To decide fourth money. 2:20 Trot, Purse \$400. Barings Comet, Halifax (Mussgrave) 1 1 Budd Moore, Halifax (Raymond) 2 3 2 Earl Blingen, Littleton (Burke) 4 2 3 Cresceus (Cameron) 3 4 5 Time—2:23 1/2, 2:24 1/2, 2:22 1/2. 2:35 Trot, Purse \$400 John T. Fredericton (Stewart) 1 1 1 Bryton H., Charlottetown (Hoopner) 2 2 3 Peter D., Fredericton (Raymond) 3 3 2 Jellicoe, Charlottetown (Kelly) 6 4 4 Time—2:29 1/2, 2:26 1/2, 2:24 1/2.

MEMORIAL OF THE LUSITANIA DISASTER

London, Sept. 15, (Gazette Cable)—Miss Mary Booth, a relative of the principals of the Booth Line steamers, has succeeded in collecting funds to provide 1,196 motor ambulances, now being used at the front, as a memorial of the Lusitania disaster. She is now collecting funds for a hospital for paralyzed and otherwise permanently injured soldiers as a further memorial of the same event.

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London, Sept. 15.—The cost of credit since the outbreak of war, bringing up the total to 2,700,000,000 pounds, moved in the House of Commons yesterday by Premier Asquith's motion asked for today 100,000,000.

The premier also announced nearly three million men had been mobilized. He made this statement in the financial and military estimates, but this requirement in many instances only comes to the front of view. The growing expenditure of war was emphasized by the fact that the average daily war from April 1 to the end of August was 2,700,000 pounds, from July 1st to September 1st, 1915, 3,000,000 pounds. This for this period in round figures 50,000,000 pounds. There has been paid 50,000,000 pounds to the United States, 30,000,000 pounds to foreign governments, 100,000,000 pounds lent to the United States.

Comparing actual expenditure since the last vote of credit, Mr. Asquith said that not exceed 35,000,000 pounds, which would not be in the interest, but the House might that these were expenditures for the purpose of financing operations. Part of the cost has to be repaid in the course of months, and the remainder advanced for future use.

An Answer to Mischief Mr. Asquith estimated gross expenditure since the last vote of credit at 35,000,000 pounds. He said that the new carry the country through the third week in November. "These figures show so many things on the contrary, that I do not wish to say are doing all we can, all as attempts are constantly made with whatever in the most mischievous to belittle and discourage. I give some comparison peace and war figures.

"Since the outbreak of war will be found, an aggregate of three millions in the army and navy. The whole, has kept up to the front, in the last few weeks has been falling off." Regarding the work of the department, Premier Asquith said that he had completed this great and task was an adequate supply of unskilled quite as much as the war. There was no field where could do more useful work. Mr. Asquith said that twenty shell factories, more were in course of construction. In all, 715 completed factories were under the department. He said, 800,000 were now employed and had vastly exceeded an dreamed of before the war. Reviewing the military situation, Mr. Asquith stated that the position of the frontiers had been strengthened by the large quantities of munitions, and that there had been a considerable extension taken over from the French. In the Dardanelles, the British had made gains, though they had not in dislodging the Turkish crest of the hills. The held a front of more miles. In the east, Mr. Asquith said that the Russian army remains unbroken. He asserted that the super-Germans was only in a reach that their object was still to reach.

Czar's Action Proves Russian Intention To Stay The front. "They succeeded in forcing the line of our gallant army several forts," he said, "counts show that the Russian is being conducted in mass and that the Russian army broken."

"The assumption of command by the Czar is the cant proof that could be unalterable determination to lowest, of the Russian. Mr. Asquith said that Britain's loans to other was 250,000,000 pounds. He referred to the casualties, and said that the number of those who were wounded was large. "This is a war of mechanical endurance," he said. "Victory seems likely to be gained that can arm itself to the hilt. That is what we do."

CREDIT VOTE OF BILLION AND QUARTER ASKED

PREMIER ASQUITH TELLS COMMONS OF WAR'S COST

Weekly Expenditure Not Likely to Exceed 35,000,000 Pounds, Henceforth, and New Vote Will Probably Carry Country Through the Third Week of November.

London, Sept. 15.—The seventh vote of credit since the outbreak of the war, bringing up the total to 1,262,400,000 pounds (\$6,310,000,000), was moved in the House of Commons this afternoon by Premier Asquith. The amount asked for today was \$1,250,000,000.

The premier also announced that nearly three million men had enlisted. He made this statement in reviewing the financial and military situations, and as military exigencies permitted, but this requirement necessitated in many instances only vague references to the trend of events.

The growing expenditures for the war were emphasized by the premier. He said the average daily cost of the war from April 1 to the end of June was 2,700,000 pounds (13,500,000); from July 1st to 17th 3,000,000 pounds; from July 18th to September 11th, 3,500,000 pounds. Thus the total for this period in round figures is 500,000,000 pounds. There has been repaid 50,000,000 pounds to the Bank of England, 30,000,000 pounds has been lent to foreign governments and 28,000,000 pounds lent to the dominions.

Comparing actual expenditures since the last vote of credit with estimates, Mr. Asquith said there had been some abnormal items to disclose which would not be in the public interest, but the House might take it that these were expenditures incurred for the purpose of financing necessary operations. Part of this amount was to be repaid in the course of a few months, and the remainder represented advances for future expenditures.

An Answer to Mischievous Critics
Mr. Asquith estimated the weekly gross expenditure henceforth would not exceed 35,000,000 pounds. It was his opinion that the new vote would carry the country through to the third week of November.

"These figures throw some light, in many respects," he continued, "on the making of the war," he continued, "I do not wish to say even that we are doing all we can, all we ought, but as attempts are constantly being made—with whatever intention, but with the most mischievous effect—to belittle and discourage our efforts, I give some comparisons between peace and war figures."

"Since the outbreak of the war, it will be found, an aggregate of not far short of three millions have enlisted in the army and navy. Recruiting, on the whole, has kept up well, but I regret to say, in the last few weeks has been falling off."

Regarding the work of the munitions departments, Premier Asquith said all that was now necessary to complete this great and necessary task was an adequate supply of labor, unskilled quite as much as skilled. There was no fear, wherein women could do more useful work. The Minister of Munitions had established twenty shell factories, and eighteen more were in course of construction. In all, 715 controlled establishments were under the department. In these factories, he said, 800,000 workmen were now employed and the country had vastly exceeded any standard dreamed of before the war.

Reviewing the military situation, Mr. Asquith stated that in France and Flanders the position of the British troops had been strengthened everywhere by large reinforcements of men and munitions, and that there had been a considerable extension of lines taken over from the French.

In the Dardanelles he continued, the British had made substantial gains, though they had not succeeded in dislodging the Turks from the crest of the hills. The British now held a front of more than twelve miles.

In the east, Mr. Asquith said, the Russian army remains unbroken. He asserted that the superiority of the Germans was only in artillery and that their object was still far out of reach.

Czar's Action Proves Russia's Determination To Stay To Finish
"They succeeded in forcing back the line of our gallant ally and taking several forts," he said, "but all accounts show that the Russian retreat is being conducted in masterly fashion and that the Russian army is still unbroken."

"The assumption of supreme command by the Czar is the most significant proof that could be given of the unalterable determination, from highest to lowest, of the Russian people."

Mr. Asquith said that the total of British loans to other belligerents was 250,000,000 pounds.

He referred to the high total of casualties, and said that the proportion of those who recovered from wounds was large.

"This is a war of mechanism, organization, endurance," he continued, "Victory seems likely to incline to the side that can arm itself best, and stay longest. That is what we mean to do."

The premier deprecated all recrimination. "Our business is to deal with the present, and forecast and provide for the future," he said. "We have satisfied the legitimate requirements and hope of our allies, and we have to discharge the unique burden imposed upon a family of free people by our own sense of responsibility and our standard of duty and sacrifice."

Nations Army Must Not Be Shortened By Strife at Home.
"The situation is a testing one. A survey of the past year calls for satisfaction at the great efforts and sacrifices made, and for regret that some mistakes and miscalculations have been made."

"It was the imperious call of duty which forced us to vindicate our national honor and enlist our whole strength in the sacred cause of freedom. I have no doubt either of the wisdom of our choice or of its ultimate triumph on the stricken field."

"One thing Mr. Asquith opposed was 'the sinister spirit of domestic strife.'"

"We must all be ready to give and take, and take and give," he said, "and it must not be said that in the greatest moment of our history our arm was short of its strength by any failure on the part of either rulers or ruled to concentrate upon the unexampled task the consentient counsel, divided energies and unbreakable, indomitable will of the British people."

NINE ENLIST AT ST. STEPHEN FAIR

Recruiting tent on grounds in charge of Maj. Laughlin and two Sergeants.

Special to The Standard.
St. Stephen, Sept. 15.—The second day of the Charlotte County Exhibition has been a great success with a very large crowd in attendance and all delighted with every feature of the big show. Given fair weather in the morning, Thursday will be a record day for attendance.

The recruiting tent on the grounds under Major Laughlin with two sergeants from Sussex has done a good business, nine young men today having turned aside from pleasure long enough to sign up to serve King and country, making twenty secured here within the past fortnight.

The Jack London story "The Sea Wolf," which was presented for the first time in the Imperial Theatre yesterday and is to be shown again today, is a further invasion of the boundless field of literature and demonstrates once again the wonderful possibilities of the pictorial form of reproducing written fiction. It really seems as if the camera is mightier than the pen in story-telling because of the all-seeing eye that gives the true scenic surroundings without regard to space or place. Truly no staged version of "The Sea Wolf" that is now being shown at the Imperial can approach it in power and vividness. It is a big thing and resembles in many ways that thrilling Rex Beach Alaskan story, "The Spoilers."

WILL CONFER WITH AGENT THOMAS ABOUT WAR ORDERS FOR CANADA

Special to The Standard.
Ottawa, Sept. 15.—Col. David Carnegie of the Shell Committee, left this afternoon for New York to consult with Mr. D. A. Thomas, the representative of the British munitions department regarding the placing of further orders in Canada. The anticipated new orders will be the result of Mr. Thomas' inspection of the Canadian shell factories and his favorable report to the imperial authorities.

The 29th overseas battalion from Gall and the 101st from Berlin and Waterloo will be inspected by General Sir Sam Hughes on Friday. He will leave for Berlin tomorrow night for that purpose and on Friday evening will be given a civic reception. During the day he will go to Doon to visit Mr. Homer Watson, the Canadian artist who painted the scene of the Valcartier camp.

THREATENED WITH PRISON IF HE WENT BACK TO GERMANY

Hartford, Conn. German machinist warned of punishment awaiting him in Fatherland for working in munitions plant.

Hartford, Conn., Sept. 14.—Though United States Dist. Atty. Thomas J. Spellacy declined tonight to make any statement, it was learned through reliable sources that Federal agents of the Bureau of Investigation are here sifting the story of a young German machinist who says he was persistently forced to give up his jobs in munition-making plants by agents of the German government.

The machinist, who is about twenty-six years of age, came to work in a big Hartford machine and tool plant four weeks ago, giving the name of F. W. Miller. He had previously worked for Brown & Sharpe of Providence. When he signed his time card for the payroll he used an unmistakably German name, which he admitted to the shop superintendent was correct.

When the war started he was ordered home, but because his brothers were in the army he refused to go and stayed here to support his aged mother.

He was warned then that a long term in prison in Germany would be his fate if he did any munitions work, and later returned to Germany. Recently he was warned by a German to leave Providence, and though he worked at Pratt & Whitney's machine works in Hartford under an assumed name for several weeks, he was discovered and again compelled by a German agent to quit.

He says the German government knows where every Teuton in this country is employed, and has warned every one who is working on war munitions that five years' imprisonment will be the sentence if they return to the Fatherland. He says his uncle is the proprietor of a New York hotel and one of the best-known German-Americans in the country.

SIR ROBT. BORDEN TO SPEAK IN TORONTO

Special to The Standard.
Ottawa, Sept. 15.—Sir Robert Borden will go to Toronto on Monday, Sept. 27th, at the invitation of the Toronto Conservative Association to speak on his observations and impressions on Great Britain and on France, Flanders. The address will be of a non-political character and will probably be given in one of the large halls of the city.

Tomorrow Sir Robert will address the Ottawa Canadian Club.

COUNTY ELECTIONS

Special to The Standard.
Newcastle, Sept. 15.—Returns for yesterday's county council election to have as a member of the council Mr. D. Sinclair, 187; Councillor M. O. Shaughnessy, 154; James Young, 104.

South Esk—Councillor Wilbur Somers, 138; James Parks, 134, defeating Councillor James Gillis, 64.

Deby—Councillor J. W. Vanderbeck, 134; Councillor J. W. McNaughton, 114; James Haswell, 113, defeating Councillor D. Watling, 112.

Newcastle—Councillors L. Doyle and H. H. Lamont, by acclamation.

Bisset—Councillors E. D. Swin and Ronald Hurley, acclamation, Councillor J. C. Weaver retiring.

Blackville—Councillors D. G. Schofield and Geo. Hayes, acclamation.

Chatham—Aloysius Harrigan and W. H. Baldwin, new men by acclamation.

Nelson—Councillors Percy Burchill and Richard Gill, by acclamation, Councillor James Harrigan retiring.

Ludlow, Alnwick, Hardwick, and Rogersville parishes to hear from.

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BROKERS AND AGENTS Have an excellent opportunity to give a good-sized donation from the stocks or goods they handle, aside from personal contributions for the Auction. Commission agents representing large business houses should be able to secure from their firms power to give liberally from their stock.	HOUSEWIVES Will be enabled to give to the Auction pieces of fancy work, home-cooking, quilting, antique furniture, old plate, or any other articles they desire, keeping in mind the possibility of their conversion into cash during the week of the Auction.	EVERYBODY Can give something. No cash is to be asked for, the idea being to have goods donated and then sold to the highest bidder during auction week. Theatres can give tickets for their shows, season passes, family tickets; shoe shine parlors can give tickets representing shiners for any length of time they care; laundries can give tickets for work to be done; creameries can donate slips for delivery of dairy stock; barbers can give tickets for tonorial attendance; the doctor, lawyer, painter, carpenter, dentist—all classes can give something having a saleable value to help in the great undertaking.

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--JACK LONDON

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"We are fighting for a worthy purpose, and we shall not lay down our arms until that purpose has been fully achieved"—H. M. The King.
 TO THE PEOPLE OF THE EMPIRE—Every fighting unit we can send to the front means one step nearer peace.

THE P. E. ISLAND ELECTIONS.

The electors of the Province of Prince Edward Island will vote today for members of the Provincial Legislature. Candidates have been nominated by both parties in every constituency in the province and a spirited campaign has been in progress for several weeks. If one is to judge from past performances the Mathieson Government should be returned to power though it is not to be expected that the result will be a landslide as was the case in the last election when the Conservatives swept the province, securing twenty-eight of the thirty seats.

The last election was held on January 3rd, 1912, when the Mathieson Government went into power in a campaign in which there was no outstanding political issue save that of the satisfaction with years of Liberal misrule. So far as their administrative record is concerned the Mathieson Government has decidedly made good. They have given the province progressive and honest government, have changed deficits to surpluses in the various departments of the administration and have vastly improved the public services. Within three months after entering upon their term they secured an increase in the island subsidy of \$100,000 per year for all time.

A further strong argument being made in favor of the Mathieson Government is the fact that in the House of Assembly last year with a total expenditure of \$521,000 Premier Mathieson challenged the leader of the opposition, Hon. Mr. Richards, to point to one item in the list which would call for extravagant, unwarranted or that he would wish to have changed. The leader of the opposition arose in his place and frankly admitted that he could find no fault.

While the administrative record of the Government has been so good as to commend it to the support of the people there is, nevertheless, some sentiment against it as the result of measures incepted by it which proved unpopular. The island province is solidly opposed to the automobile and for a long time no automobiles were permitted there. Shortly after his accession to power Hon. Mr. Mathieson introduced a permissive bill throwing certain portions of the island open to automobiles if the voters, at a plebiscite to be held by school districts, so decided. The plebiscite was held and the automobile by a very large majority was voted out. Subsequently the premier gave permission for individual districts to settle the question as they pleased. Petitions were speedily circulated by those in favor of the automobile and as a result of these some districts were thrown open, despite the fact that the sentiment on the whole island was very strongly opposed to the auto.

As the result of the automobile legislation the government lost some support though just how much there has been no previous opportunity of testing.

Never a radical in the way of temperance legislation, Premier Mathieson has also to face some opposition from those who believe that the prohibition law of the island is not sufficiently sweeping nor its enforcement as strict as it might well be. This may also work to some degree against the government candidates. Also, in several of the constituencies, the vote was very close and it may be that today's voting will show some slight changes. Generally, however, the opinion seems to be that the Government will be returned though the Liberals will probably have a somewhat larger representation than at present.

THE NEED FOR MEN.

One paragraph in the address delivered by Lord Kitchener in the British House of Lords, yesterday, is held by London opinion to indicate the possibility of conscription. He referred in glowing terms to the response to the call for recruits and said the problem now facing the Empire is that of supplying reinforcements to the regiments already at the front. In order to meet this he was sure the people would agree to bear any sacrifice.

The British Empire, outside of the British Isles, has found no little difficulty in providing all the men required, in the early months of the war it was

comparatively easy to secure men but today it is a more difficult task to fill the regiments needed. This is not due to a lack of loyalty on the part of our young men for there is no doubt that if they realized the great need they would be more ready to respond. Earl Kitchener's speech should remove the last doubt from the minds of any who may think they are not needed.

The campaign in all the areas of war is progressing well and there is no doubt of the outcome, provided, of course, that the Empire forces can be kept at the present standard or increased as the needs may require. To maintain the British army at the highest point of effectiveness is the paramount duty and it will be performed no matter what sacrifice the process may entail. Germany and Austria have a compulsory military system. There the men are not asked to don the uniform but ordered to do so and the result has been seen in the fact that for almost fourteen months those two nations have practically faced the might of the world in arms. If the indication in the Kitchener speech that some sort of compulsion is under consideration in Britain should prove to be justified by the developments there is no doubt that the British people will accept it as necessary. At the same time the mere fact that conscription is even hinted at should act as a powerful stimulus to recruiting. It is much better to join the Empire's forces as free men willing to endure hardship for the sake of the cause than to be forced to don khaki as a last resort.

CONCERNING AN ELECTION

The Times inveighs against an election now after a year of war. It also objects to an extension of the parliamentary term until a reasonable time after the conclusion of peace, but it is quite willing that there should be an appeal to the country when the present parliamentary term expires in November next. To the editor of that newspaper we commend the following from the Toronto News which answers the stock Grit arguments to a nicety. The News says:

"When the Borden Government held office only 12 months the opposition exhausted every parliamentary device in order to force a premature appeal to the country. The Government's naval programme, solemnly sanctioned by the Imperial Government in mortal apprehension of the German menace, was rejected in the Commons. Now the opposition makes violent protest against a dissolution of Parliament. Apparently its organs are as strongly opposed to any agreement to avoid an election. It has to be recognized that any attempt by the Government of its own motion to postpone an election could be defeated by the Senate. It is the whole object to drive the Government into a position of helplessness and to force dissolution at a moment of the utmost convenience to the opposition? Surely if we are to avoid an election during the war there must be an agreement now between the parties to that effect or the whole ground of objection to an election disappears. It is impossible to argue that an election when the war is one year old, ordered by the Government, would be criminal, while an election when the war is two years old, ordered by the opposition, would be highly proper and patriotic."

NEW NOTE TO BULGARIA FROM ALLIES

Supplementary Note Relative to Serbia's Attitude—Contents Not Made Public.

Sofia, Bulgaria, Sept. 14, via London, Sept. 15.—The ministers of the Quadruple Entente presented to the Bulgarian government this noon a supplementary note relative to Serbia's attitude toward the Macedonian claims of Bulgaria. The contents were kept strictly secret.

Ye Mariners of England

Ye mariners of England
 That guard our native seas!
 Whose flag has braved a thousand years,
 The battle and the breeze!
 Your glorious standard launch again
 To match another foe!
 And sweep through the deep,
 While the stormy winds do blow!
 While the battle rages loud and long,
 And the stormy winds do blow.

The spirits of your fathers
 Shall start from meery wave!
 For the deck it was their field of fame,
 And Ocean was their grave.
 Where Blake and mighty Nelson fell
 Your manly hearts shall glow,
 As ye sweep through the deep,
 While the stormy winds do blow;
 While the battle rages loud and long,
 And the stormy winds do blow.

Britannia needs no bulwarks,
 No towers along the steep;
 Her march is o'er the mountain-waves,
 Her home is on the deep.
 With thunders from her native oak
 She quells the floods below,
 As they roar on the shore,
 When the stormy winds do blow,
 When the battle rages loud and long,
 And the stormy winds do blow.

The meteor flag of England
 Shall yet terrific burn,
 Till danger's troubled night depart
 And the star of peace return.
 Then, then, ye ocean-warriors,
 Our songs and feast shall flow
 To the fame of your name.
 When the storm has ceased to blow!
 When the fiery light is heard no more,
 And the storm has ceased to blow.
 —Thomas Campbell.

Sir William Van Horne

(Ottawa Journal.)
 Almost the most remarkable thing about the remarkable life of Sir William Van Horne was the appearance and cultivation of an artistic side to his powerful nature. Instances have been many of boys born of poor parents becoming giants in the business world. Instances have been many also of poor boys developing into great artists. But the instances are not many of a boy who had to begin earning a hard living at a childish age developing on both sides—becoming both a great man of affairs, and considerable of an artist himself as well as an eager patron of art.

Another most remarkable thing about Sir William Van Horne was his practical retirement from the management of the Canadian Pacific Railway at the comparatively early age of 56. True, while resigning as general manager he remained president for a time; but nevertheless his relinquishment of the active power at a time when all his energies were still unimpaired was a curious thing. He was not worked out; he was not even tired, for he immediately plunged into big enterprises of various kinds, and retained or assumed many other business responsibilities.

Apparently he aimed not to be tied down by routine of any kind, even the most important. In this as in all things Sir William Van Horne gave evidence of supreme independence of mind, as well as of great mental force and imagination. Coming from a poverty-stricken home in a western state, obliged to get to work as he entered his teens, this lad of little schooling and no advantages other than nature gave him, became one of those testimonies of what a human being can do with nature with which the history of this country is full. Each of which is at once an inspiration and a warning, from Abraham Lincoln's down—Lincoln, the greatest of all—an inspiration to all of us as to what can be accomplished in our human world despite a start amid poverty and difficulty; a warning to all of us against cheap social shoddiness, the sort of thing which holds one human being inferior to another because of accident of birth or rank or money.

FUNERALS.

The funeral of Mrs. Frances Augusta Cruikshank took place yesterday afternoon at half-past two o'clock from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. J. Bright Cudlip, Rothesay Park. Rev. A. McKeigan conducted the services. The remains were interred in Fernhill cemetery. The pall-bearers were Messrs. J. D. Seely, L. P. D. Tilley, Alexander Wilson, J. B. Cudlip and Robert and William Cruikshank, sons of the deceased.

The funeral of Mrs. Lewis V. Lingley took place yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from her late residence, German street. The service was conducted by Rev. Hammond Johnson. Numerous and beautiful floral tributes were received, including pieces from the Quarterly Board, the choir and Sunday school class of the Queen Square Methodist Church, and the choir of Centenary Methodist Church. The pall was borne by Messrs. Roy King, John Willott, Clare Gilmour, Ralph Stephenson. The remains were laid to rest in Fernhill cemetery.

DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS

Little Benny's Note Book.

By LEE PAPE

A ice wazgin went past today, and me and Reddy Merly and Sid Hunt and Skinny Martin and Puds Simkinises sissey cussin Persey jumped awn back and setch got a little boat and startid to suck awn them, and aftir we had bin suckin a wile Reddy Merly sed, Who ses im afraied to put peece of ice down thare neck.
 Wich nobody sed anything, awn akkount of Reddy Merly beeing sutch a grate fiter, and aftir a wile I sed, Who ses im afraied to put this peece of ice down thare neck.
 Who ses so, sed Reddy and Sid and Skinny. All of them beeing pritty good fiter.
 Ill put it down Perseys neck, I sed. And I grabbed Persey and startid to do it, Persey yelling, Hay, I didnt say you was afraied to.
 You was jest going to say it, I sed. And I put the ice down the back of his neck, and he rigled like anything awn akkount of it beeing cold ice to be sliding down yure back.
 Who say im afraied to put the rest of by peece down thare neck, sed Sid Hunt.
 I say so, sed Skinny and me and Reddy.
 You do, do you, sed Sid Hunt. And he grabbed a hold of Persey and put his ice down his neck, putting it down the frunt, Persey yelling and rigeling like anything, awn akkount of ice properly beeing jest as cold going down the frunt as wat it is going down the back.
 Who ses im afraied to put my peece down thare neck, sed Skinny Martin.
 I do, sed Reddy and me and Sid, Wich we hadent got awl the way throo saying it wen Persey startid to run up the street like the dickins, with Skinny running aftir him, ony he didnt catch him awn akkount of Persey beeing a pritty good runner for a sissey.
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AUTUMN EXCURSIONS TO MONTREAL.

Montreal is always a city of interest, and especially so in early autumn, when its citizens have returned from the summer resorts to their town homes, the many stores crowded with fashionable shoppers, and the places of amusement in full swing.

The annual fall excursions via Intercolonial Railway will be run this year, Sept. 18, 17 and 18, tickets being good for return October 4th. The rate from Halifax to Montreal and return on these dates will be reduced to \$19.45. From Moncton and St. John \$15.30, and proportionately low fares will prevail from all points in the Maritime Provinces.

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NEW BRUNSWICK UNDERTAKERS' CONVENTION

Close of sessions and election of officers yesterday

—Successful meetings.

The annual convention of the New Brunswick Funeral Directors which was held in the city during the past two days closed yesterday afternoon, after a most successful programme. The delegates from the different parts of the province returned to their homes after having received a great deal of benefit from the interesting lectures given by experts in the line.

The afternoon session opened at two o'clock and Mrs. Lena R. Simmons occupied about two hours lecturing and demonstrating on canvas. The business meeting followed, and the election of officers resulted as follows:

President, F. E. Tuttle, Moncton; 1st vice-president, N. L. Brennan, St. John; 2nd vice-president, A. B. Lauder, Hillboro; secretary-treasurer, W. S. Chapman, Point de Bute; chaplain and editor, F. W. Wallace, Sussex; chaperson, Mrs. F. W. Wallace, Sussex; sergeant-at-arms, J. A. LeCouteur, Dalhousie. The time and place of the next meeting is to be decided by the president and secretary. The following were appointed as the membership committee: N. L. Brennan, F. W. Wallace and A. B. Lauder.

This committee is to thoroughly canvass the province for new members. Prof. Lena R. Simmons was presented with a substantial purse for the press for the courtesies they have shown.

The morning's session opened at ten o'clock, A. B. Lauder in the chair. The report of the secretary-treasurer was read and disclosed a satisfactory financial condition.

Resolutions of condolence were unanimously passed with John Snow, Halifax, in the death of his son, W. H. Snow, and with H. K. Maltby, Chatham, in the death of his father, Col. R. L. Maltby. The secretary was ordered to write Messrs. Snow and Maltby and to express to them the sorrow of the members. Also to write to Thomas Farmer, Belleisle, regretting his illness and informing him that he had been made an honorary member.

Letters were read from F. W. Matthews, secretary Canadian Embalmers' Association, Toronto; John Snow, Halifax; D. L. McKinnon, Moncton; P. E. Island, regretting their inability to be present and wishing the association pleasant and profitable meetings.

A committee composed of W. L. Chapman, Mayor Wallace, Sussex, and N. Louis Brennan was appointed to confer with the Nova Scotia Funeral Directors' Association and with members of the profession in Prince Edward Island regarding ways of strengthening and continuing the Maritime Association.

Mrs. F. W. Wallace, chaperson of the association since its organization, arrived yesterday morning and was accorded a hearty welcome.

After the business meeting Prof. Simmons continued the lectures commencing on Tuesday.

Four Drunks.

Four prisoners at the police station, last night, were all charged with drunkenness.

FIRE HAZARD MAY BE EASILY MINIMIZED

Autumnal hints to householders in regard to stoves and heating apparatus.

The Commission of Conservation has issued a bulletin of special hints in regard to caring for stoves and other heating apparatus. The suggestions are as follows:

The season is fast approaching when cool evenings will demand the lighting of fires in our homes. September and October have become known to firemen as the months when chimneys and flues cause the most trouble.

The following suggestions of a practical nature, if faithfully followed, will do much to prevent damage to property and loss of life:

Place a metal stove-board on the wood floor under the stove, and extending at least twelve inches in front of the ash-pit door. Protect all walls and partitions within two feet of any stove with a metal shield, leaving an air-space between the shield and the wall. Leave no kindling or other wood in the oven over night. Do not hang clothes too near the stove and stovepipes.

Pipes. See that the lengths of stovepipe are well fitted together, free from rust holes and parted seams, wired firmly and partitions, walls, floors, attics and roofs are fireproof at best. Where these must pass through partitions, walls or floors, always use a large, ventilated double thimble. You should examine the stovepipes in the attic. They may come apart or rust. Fluff and spider webs are likely to gather and around them, to be set on fire when you least expect it.

Chimneys should be built from the ground up, and never rest on wood supports. The settling of the woodwork will cause cracks in the chimney. Nor should the chimney walls be used to support joists or other woodwork. Use a good quality of brick and cement mortar. Chimney walls should be at least eight inches thick, the flue of ample size and lined with fire clays or terra cotta. Never stuff up the flue holes with rags or paper, nor cover them with anything but a metal stock. Chimneys should be cleaned frequently.

Furnaces. Protect all woodwork above and around boilers, within three feet, with a metal shield, also all woodwork near furnace pipes. It is best to rivet the lengths of pipe together to prevent disjoining. The pipe should fit perfectly into the chimney. Examine the pipe frequently for rust holes or other defects. Keep them free from dust, fluff and spider webs, which are easily ignited.

Defects. Defective stoves, boilers, furnaces pipes and chimneys should be promptly repaired or replaced.

Overheating. Beware of overheating stoves, boilers, furnaces and pipes.

Asbes. These should never be placed in wooden receptacles or bins, on wood floors or against wood partitions, walls, fences, buildings or any other woodwork. Use metal receptacles only and dump asbes away from all buildings.

These matters are technical, but very simple and merely call for ordinary care. You cannot afford to be careless, when the lives of your loved ones, and the property of yourself and neighbors, are at stake. Let care and caution be the watchword and let the way assist in reducing Canada's enormous fire loss.

IN THE COURTS.

In Chambers.

An interesting review was heard before Chief Justice Landry in Chambers yesterday morning. The case is that of London vs. McCrea, and was tried before Beverly Parks in Queens County. Mr. Parks, it appears, is a Parish Court Commissioner, but in trying the case, according to the defendant's attorney, he acted as a Justice of the Peace, and the amount was \$2050, which is above the jurisdiction of a Justice. It was contended that the judgment would have to be set aside. His Honor was not satisfied with the return of the Justice, and sent the matter back to him for a new return with the original papers. J. F. H. Teed appeared for the plaintiff, and Dr. W. B. Wallace, K. C., and H. W. Robertson for the defendant.

PROBATE MATTERS.

Administration has been granted John F. Hourihan of Winnipeg in the estate of his father, Thomas Hourihan, lately of this city. The probate value is \$341. The proctor is Dr. R. F. Quigley.

The will of Mrs. Mary L. McNichol, late of this city, widow of James McNichol, merchant tailor, has been proved and letters testamentary granted to Mrs. Ada Robertson, the executrix and who is also the sole beneficiary under the will. The proctor is J. D. P. Lewis.

GIVES LAND TO BE SOLD IN AUCTION WEEK

Splendid donation of local woman—Numerous offers of aid—Canvas for goods opens next Monday.

The heartiness with which the general public is entering into the spirit of the \$50,000 patriotic auction is showing itself in many offers of assistance by way of time or donations being received daily at the office of the executive, 181 Prince Wm. street, where the manager, H. A. Porter is in charge. A lady called yesterday and said she expected to be out of the city next week. She desired to have her donation slip filled in before she went, and on being given one, she wrote her gift of a valuable lot of land to be offered for sale during auction week, October 4 to 9. Other offers similarly encouraging are greeting the promoters in their endeavor to secure that \$50,000 for the patriotic fund, and the whole scheme is moving forward with a happy, satisfying swing.

On Monday next, just four days distant, the canvassers will begin their rounds. It will not be possible, as has before been said, owing to the great extent of territory to be covered, to call from house to house, but every merchant and dealer in all classes of goods will be visited and encouraged to donate liberally from his stock. And those householders who are not personally canvassed can help in the great undertaking by sending in their donations when delivery is made during the week of Sept. 27. "Something worth while" is the slogan of the canvassers.

Dr. H. A. Farris Appointed.

The St. John County Tuberculosis Hospital Commission has selected Dr. H. A. Farris to take charge of the institution in the Parish of Simonds, which it is expected will be ready for occupancy some time in October. Dr. Farris, who is a son of Hon. L. P. Farris, Grand Lake, Queens Co., has been making a special study of tuberculosis for some years. At present he is at his home in Queens County. His last engagement was at the Sanatorium at Gravenhurst, Ont. He was also at Lake Edwards, at Saranac, and at Kenville, N. S., and comes well recommended.

High Freights Will Mean Low Cut of Lumber

Lumbermen, in meeting here yesterday, discussed prospects — Shipments small.

The New Brunswick Lumbermen's Association met in conference in the Royal Hotel yesterday and discussed matters in connection with next season's work. Among other subjects considered was that of stumpage rates, but no action was taken. The association will meet again in St. John early next month when it is expected delegates will meet Premier Clarke and confer with him.

Angus McLean, of the Bathurst Lumber Company, speaking to a representative of The Standard yesterday afternoon said the outlook in the lumber business was not bright. "At the present time," said he, "lumber is piled in practically all the yards and it is next to impossible to secure tonnage for the carriage of shipments to the European markets. Freight rates are so high that when one pays expenses of shipment on cargoes to the other side there is little or nothing left for the cargo itself."

Asked as to the prospect for the cut this winter Mr. McLean said the cut would be much below the normal. With lumber piled in the yards it will be difficult to get even yard room for new stock, and with the uncertainty now experienced in shipping the stock on hand, it is very doubtful if it would be wise to greatly increase that stock. The shortage of tonnage is the chief cause of difficulty, and for this I can see very little prospect of relief until after the war. With lumber carrying steamers utilized for other purposes as the result of the war it is very difficult to see the wisdom in making an effort in the direction of increasing the stock on hand. Consequently this winter's cut is likely to be much smaller than the average."

Among those in attendance at yesterday's conference were the following:—James Robinson and J. W. Maloney, Miramichi; John P. Burchell and Sheriff John O'Brien, of Nelson; J. W. Branley, Chatham; G. W. Gilbert and Angus McLean, Bathurst; David E. Richards, William H. Miller, W. P. Napier, Robert St. Onge and D. A. Stewart, of Campbellton.

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OBITUARY.

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The death took place yesterday afternoon of George McAfee, of Red Head. The deceased, who was well known and greatly respected in the vicinity, as well as in many other parts of the province, was in the 73rd year of his age. He leaves his wife and one daughter, Miss Edith McAfee, to mourn. The funeral will take place tomorrow at 2.30 p. m., after services at the house. Coaches will leave King Square for Red Head at one o'clock.

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MacInnes-Melanson.
A wedding of unusual interest was solemnized in St. Thomas' Aquinas Church at Joggins Mines, by Rev. J. D. Curry, on Thursday morning, Sept. 9th, at eight o'clock, when Miss Georgina Ethel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Melanson, was united in marriage with Mr. John Herbert MacInnes of the staff of Reed & Co., Moncton.

The bride, attired in a gown of white crepe de chene, with broadened satin bodice and train and trimmed with pearls and brilliants, and wearing a bridal veil of net with ruffled orange blossoms, and carrying a bouquet of white bridal roses, lilies of the valley, orchids and maiden hair fern, tied with white net ribbon embroidered in gold, entered the church on the arm of the father to the strains of Lohengrin's wedding march being handsomely attired in a dress of white satin with veil and orange blossoms and carrying in her hand a bouquet of white roses. Miss Maud Boardman, sister of the bride, acted as bridesmaid while Mr. Fred Boardman supported the groom. After the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bride to which a number of invited guests sat down.

The presents were numerous and handsome, testifying to the esteem which the happy couple were held.

Ferran-King.
The marriage took place yesterday morning at 6 o'clock in St. Peter's church, of Miss Blanche King, daughter of Mrs. Annie King, of North End, and Fred Ferran, also of this city. Rev. P. O'Hare, C. S. R., officiated.

The bride was charmingly attired in a travelling suit of gray, wearing a black picture hat and carrying a prayer book and rosary. The bride was assisted by Miss Evelyn Furlong, who wore a becoming gown of old rose silk, trimmed with fur, and a black picture hat. The best man was Edgar Ferran, brother of the groom. A large number of valuable presents was received. The groom's gift to the bride was a gold necklace set with pearls, to the bridesmaid an amethyst brooch and to the groomsmen a pair of gold cuff links. This evening a reception will be held at the residence of the bride's mother, Mr. and Mrs. Ferran will reside on Brooks street.

COURT RESERVES JUDGMENT IN CASE CITY VS. STREET RY.

Argument concluded before Court of Appeal yesterday, at Fredericton.

Special to The Standard.
Fredericton, Sept. 15.—In appeal court today, when argument was concluded in the case of St. John Railway Co. vs. City of St. John the court reserved judgment.

The case number called was a trespass case from Madawaska County, Ouellet vs. Jalbert, in which Mr. Max Cormier for Jalbert, defendant, moved to set aside a verdict for plaintiff and to enter a verdict for defendant or for a new trial, Mr. J. E. Michaud in support of verdict.

Lands in question were granted by the Crown to the defendant but the plaintiff secured a verdict on trial before Judge Crockett on a claim of adverse possession. One of the grounds of appeal is obtaining of new evidence tending to void plaintiff's claim. Counsel on both sides of the case are making their maiden effort before court en banc, and though not addressing the bench in their native tongue, are not hampered by any trammel on this score. Argument lasted for an hour this afternoon and was not completed when court adjourned for the day.

At the conclusion of the case tomorrow the case of Donovan vs. Excelsior Life Insurance Co. will be taken up at completion of which the court will probably adjourn till Wednesday next when the case of McDermott vs. Oliver will be heard.

The only remaining case for this

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sitting will be that of the King vs. Di-mock referred by Mr. Justice McKeown in which Attorney General Baxter is to argue the case for the crown and Mr. H. A. Powell, K. C., for defendant.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Royal.
R. S. Burgess, New York; J. H. Brennan, J. Rodger, J. H. Chubburn, D. Lawson, Montreal; G. Gilbert, Bathurst; Mrs. F. B. Edgecombe, C. H. Edgecombe, Mrs. W. G. Montague, Fredericton; A. C. Alexander, O. F. Wintemute, H. E. Ewald, Toronto; W. P. King, Ottawa; E. C. Barnard, Washington; R. J. McKinney and wife, Newburyport; J. P. Morris, Philadelphia; B. W. Clewto and wife, J. Daly, Toronto; A. McLean, Bathurst; L. H. Bliss, Fredericton; R. St. Cope, D. A. Stewart; W. H. Miller, D. E. Richards, W. F. Napier, Campbell-

MIRAMICHI PRESBYTERY MEETS AT NEWCASTLE

Newcastle, Sept. 15.—The Miramichi Presbytery met in St. James' Hall yesterday.

Following calls were sustained: From Rexton and Richbucto, to Rev. G. S. Gardner, Dominion No. 6 Cape Breton, and from New Carlisle, P. Q. to Rev. E. J. Bates, secretary Camp Reading Association, Montreal. Messrs. Cameron and Hanney appeared in support of the former, and Messrs. Shearer and Macpherson of the latter.

Arrangements were begun for the taking of the vote on church union. Rev. H. R. Grant of Picton was nominated for Moderator of Synod.

Rev. W. G. Firth of Tide Head resigned the interim moderatorship of the Presbytery, Quebec, Rev. Dr. J. F. Polley of Dalhousie being appointed in his stead.

Next quarterly meeting will be in Newcastle first Tuesday of December next at eleven a.m.

Representatives were appointed to act on Synod's committees, as follows: Public education, Rev. John Harris; bills and overtures, Rev. G. P. Tallier; young people's work, Rev. J. R. Miller; synodical giving, Rev. J. F. Polley; church and manse, Rev. S. J. MacArthur and Hugh Miller; trustee of Presbyterian church, Rev. W. G. Firth; social service and evangelism, Rev. F. L. Joby; systematic giving, Rev. J. F. McCreary; committee to nominate standing committees, Rev. Dr. Polley; Presbytery Record, Rev. Alex. Rettle; obituary notices, Rev. W. B. Rossborough, Loggieville.

Returned to Amherst.

The husky Germans who escaped from the detention camp at Amherst were lodged on Tuesday night at central station. The men are all of splendid physique, and besides a quantity of money one of them carried a chart and compass. The four were sent to Amherst at noon under the escort of Bombadier Wade and Gunners Grant and Nasor from the battery on Partridge Island.

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Old Dutch Cleanser

Large Sifter Can with Full Directions, 10c

Interesting Contests For Boys and Girls

The following are a list of words which have had some letters taken from one or both ends, can you supply the missing letters? If so, complete the words in the space provided, attach three coupons to same and address not later than September 16th, 1915, to

UNCLE DICK,
THE STANDARD,
ST. JOHN, N. B.

To the boy or girl who sends me in the most correct list, the longer the words the better chance, I shall award a BEAUTIFUL WATCH.

1.aritim..... 7.ratul.....
2.erolito..... 8.ograph.....
3.lwa..... 9.applic.....
4.oos..... 10.sortmen.....
5.laim..... 11.ransport.....
6.rovinc..... 12.andar.....

For example the first word might be "maritime" but possibly you may be able to find a longer one. In the event of a tie, neatness of writing will be taken into consideration.

STANDARD COMPETITION.
For Boys and Girls

Full Name.....
Address.....
Age Last Birthday.....

A Special Drawing and Painting Contest

This week I want you to try and make a careful copy in pen and ink, of any picture you like, taken from a magazine, or other picture book, or else take the same picture and color it with either chalks or water colors. To the boy or girl who makes the best copy, or coloring I shall award a beautiful prize. With each attempt you must send three of the usual contest coupons, and also state what you would like as a prize, should you be the successful competitor. You may suggest a watch, a pair of skates, a jack knife, a needle work box, or any other present of a similar nature.

Send your sketches and colored pictures in not later than Thursday, Sept. 23rd, to

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Results from neglected chafing and skin irritation. As a preventive and cure there is no treatment to compare with Dr. Chase's Ointment. Use it after the bath. 60 Cents a Box, all Dealers, or Edmondson, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto. Sample free.

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IF WOUNDED or ILL the soldier will be well cared for and sent back to his home at the proper time.

SOLDIERS MAY ASSIGN not less than one-half and not more than four-fifths of their regular pay to wives or others, and such sums will be paid regularly to the persons so designated.

SEPARATION ALLOWANCE—In addition to pay the wives and families of men on active service receive from the Government the following monthly Separation Allowance:
Privates and Corporals, \$20.00 per month.
Sergeants, \$25.00 per month.

THE PATRIOTIC FUND will supplement this with an additional allowance.

If you can make good bread from some flours, you can make better bread from

PURITY FLOUR

and more loaves to the barrel too. Buy it and see for yourself.

More Bread and Better Bread

mand has prevailed for all grades of fish in drums, and while the holders of codfish and haddock have been able to maintain their figures, the prices for hake suffered a slight descent. Codfish are quoted at 7.50, haddock at \$5.50 and hake at \$5.50 per hundred pound. Due no doubt to these arrivals, there is a great dullness in the codfish market. The price for Norwegian codfish has declined and for other sources of supply remain unchanged, but a very clean and white hard dried cod, from the United States of America, is selling at higher prices than the other sources. The opinion among the buyers is that prices will decline again. Cod is quoted at \$12.00 and other sources from \$8.25 to \$11.00 per case. With fair demand we continue quoting haddock at \$15.00 per large box. In spite of the fact that potato arrivals are too heavy, the same active demand still prevails, and while the price for barrels remains unchanged, bags declined. We quote at \$2.75 per barrel and at 1 1/2 cents per pound.

ACTION OF SINGLE SPOONFUL SURPRISES MANY

St. John people who bought the simple mixture of buckthorn bark, glycerine, etc., known as Adler-ika, are surprised at the INSTANT effect of a SINGLE SPOONFUL. This remedy is so complete a bowel cleanser that it is used successfully in appendicitis. Adler-ika acts on BOTH upper and lower bowel and ONE SPOONFUL relieves almost ANY CASE of constipation, sour or gassy stomach, ONE MINUTE after you take it: the gasses rumble and pass out. J. B. Mahony, druggist, Corner Dock and Union streets.

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Late C BASEBALL IN THE BIG LEAGUE

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Detroit 4, New York 2
New York, Sept. 15—Detroit
a full game on Boston, the
leaders today, when it was
New York, 4 to 2, while Chicago
defeating Boston. The score:
Detroit 00301000—3
New York 00001000—2
Batteries—Boland and Sit
Caldwell and Nunamaker

Chicago 3, Boston 1
Boston, Sept. 15—Faber
damned the eyes of Red Sox
today, Boston getting only one
his delivery and Chicago won.
The score:
Chicago 00010100—3
Boston 00001000—1
Batteries—Faber and Schalk;
and Cady, Thomas

Cleveland 5, Washington
Washington, Sept. 15—Brento
Washington to four hits, while Cle
found Harper and Gallia for
slight, including two doubles,
with several passes and brilliant
running by Evans and Roth
the victors five runs. The score:
Cleveland 00003000—6
Washington 00000000—1
Batteries—Brenton and Egan
Egan, Gallia and Williams.
(Only three Americans scored)

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

Montreal 5, Harrisburg 3
Montreal, Sept. 15—Montreal
won from Harrisburg, 5 to 3, in
game practically decided by three
runners' errors. The score:
Harrisburg 01010001—3
Montreal 03020000—5
Batteries: Schacht and Heel
Cadore and Madden.

Providence loses first pit
Buffalo, Sept. 15—Pat Do
struggling hitters took the lead
ship from Providence today,
featuring the Greys in both gam
double-header, 5-4 and 5-0. The
first game:
Providence 2100010000—0
Buffalo 0000010000—1
Batteries: Schmitt and Hale
Ibe and Onslow.

Second game:
Providence 00000000—0
Buffalo 00050000—5
Batteries: Ayers and Casey;
and Onslow.

Rochester 9, Jersey City
Rochester, Sept. 15—Rochester
Jersey City broke even today
double-header, the home club
the first game, 9 to 4, and the
ers winning the second, 11 to
score:
First game—
Jersey City 11200000—0
Rochester 25000200—9
Batteries: Crutcher and Tras
Palmer and Williams.

Second game—(8 innings.)
Jersey City, 11; Rochester
Jersey City, 10
Batteries: Tyler and Whitt
Schwert; Faresbush and Will
Toronto-Richmond, postponed

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Chicago 1, Boston 0
Chicago, Sept. 15—A fast
tween Umpire Byron and
Smith, third baseman of the
Braves, marked the final gam
year between Chicago and Bo
Chicago won the contest.
The score:
Boston 00000000—0
Chicago 00000100—1
Batteries—Tyler and Whitt
Schwert; Faresbush and Will
Pittsburgh 15, Philadelphia
Pittsburgh, Sept. 15—Pittbu
out Philadelphia today, 15 to
score:
Philadelphia 00000000—0
Pittsburgh 00000001—1
Batteries—Mayer and
Kantlehner and Gibson.
(Only two Nationals schedu

FEDERAL LEAGUE

Baltimore 3, Pittsburg
Pittsburg, Sept. 15—Pittsb

CLOSING LETTER OF N.Y. MARKET BY E. & C. RANDOLPH

(McDOUGALL & COWANS.)
New York, Sept. 15—The market was not very active at any time during the day, and nearly all the business was in the industrial stocks. Many members of that group, however, showed substantial strength, and in nearly every case some support reason for the advance could be found in the day's news. The equipment stocks for instance were helped by the increasing demand for new cars and engines with the probability that the railroads would be obliged to increase their purchases in the near future. Amn. Can., which was strong and active at the close, rose on reports that the company's business is the largest on record, and without any part of it being derived from the war orders of some weeks ago. The conference held by the British and French financial representatives are making progress towards the placing of a big loan, but the terms of the offerings have not yet been definitely decided upon. The activity in the steel trade is increasing, and an advance in prices of many lines is likely to occur in the near future. Sales stocks 520,000. Bonds \$1,750,000.
E. & C. RANDOLPH.

WALL ST. HAS ANOTHER DULL DAY ONLY ACTIVITY WAS IN WAR SHARES

Foreign Situation and International Credits mainly responsible for colorless session—Exchange Markets marking time.

New York, Sept. 15—Eliminating the war specialties and several of the low priced railways like Erie and Rock Island, today's market was dull to the verge of absolute stagnation. Even United States Steel failed to hold its wonted leadership falling behind Allis Chambers, Crucible Steel and a few other industrials of far less prominence. Erie and Rock Island pursued contrary courses, the former showing increased strength on reported further accumulation of the preferred shares, while the latter became heavy on news that the federal court had ordered that suits for restitution be instituted against some of the former and present members of the board. Minneapolis and St. Louis issues declined abruptly later, the common declining four to eight, the preferred six to twenty-four and the refunding four to four. Their fall was associated with the serious illness of the company's president. Investment railways moved narrowly, fluctuations rarely exceeding minor fractions until the final hour, when Reading fell to 149 1/8, its lowest quotation of the day, and other standard stocks denoted recurrent pressure. Shares of the Long Island Railroad, a Pennsylvania subsidiary, were prominent for their strength, advancing six to four.

New high records for the war shares were once more in order, even though their further advance was without favorable effect elsewhere. Bethlehem Steel rose a point to 350, Crucible Steel one and a half to 96 1/2, and United States Alcohol five and three-quarters to 85 1/2. The uncertain trend of these shares was again indicated by some net losses at the close. Total sales of stocks amounted to 325,000 shares. International credits and the status of affairs with Germany entered into the calculations of the trading element and doubtless were responsible for the dullness and superficial character of the day's operations. Rumors to the effect that Washington might enter an objection to the proposed Anglo-French loan caused renewed discussion of this problem.

Exchange on London was dull but steady, with fewer offerings of continental bills. In fact, exchange markets may be said to be marking time, pending a definite outcome of current negotiations. Trading in bonds lacked especial feature, aside from the steady tone. Total sales, par value, \$2,445,000.

STOCK QUOTATIONS ON N.Y. EXCHANGE

(McDOUGALL & COWANS.)

Open	High	Low	Close
Am Beet Sug	66	65 1/2	65 1/2
Am Car Fy	68 1/2	69 1/2	69 1/2
Am Loco	54	54 1/2	54 1/2
Am Smelt	80 1/2	81	80 1/2
Anaconda	71 1/2	72 1/2	71 1/2
Atchafalpa	101 1/2	101 1/2	101 1/2
Am Can	59 1/2	61 1/2	59 1/2
Balt and O	83 1/2	83 1/2	83 1/2
Beth Steel	350	350	350
C F I	46	47 1/2	46
Che and Ohio	47 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2
Ent Leath	44 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2
Miss Pac	3 1/2	3 1/2	3 1/2
Can Pac	154	154 1/2	154 1/2
Cruc Steel	96	96 1/2	94 1/2
Erie Cont	30 1/2	30 1/2	30 1/2
Gr Nor Pfd	118 1/2	118 1/2	118 1/2
Lehigh Val	143 1/2	143 1/2	143 1/2
Louis and N	118 1/2	118 1/2	118 1/2
Nor Pac	107 1/2	107 1/2	107 1/2
Penn	109 1/2	109 1/2	109 1/2
Press Stl Car	61 1/2	62 1/2	61 1/2
Reading Com	149 1/2	149 1/2	149 1/2
Rep Steel	43 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2
St Paul	118 1/2	118 1/2	118 1/2
Sou Pac	88 1/2	88 1/2	88 1/2
Studebaker	118 1/2	118 1/2	118 1/2
Un Pac Com	129 1/2	129 1/2	129 1/2
U S Steel Com	75 1/2	75 1/2	74 1/2
U S Steel Pfd	113 1/2	113 1/2	113 1/2
U S Rub Com	50 1/2	50 1/2	50 1/2
Westing Elec	117 1/2	117 1/2	117 1/2

MONTREAL TRANSACTIONS

(McDOUGALL & COWANS.)
Morning
Montreal, Wednesday, Sept. 16th—
Cement Com.—10 @ 28.
Tram Debentures—1,000 @ 81 1/2.
Dom. Iron Com.—245 @ 43 1/2, 2 @ 43, 125 @ 43 1/2.
Shawinigan—25 @ 118.
Montreal Paper—25 @ 215.
Steel Co. Com.—25 @ 22 1/2, 40 @ 22 1/2, 25 @ 32 1/2, 140 @ 32 1/2.
Canada Car Pfd.—20 @ 117 1/2.
Ogilvie Com.—170 @ 124 1/2.
Lake of Woods—10 @ 134 1/2.
N. S. Steel—50 @ 86, 65 @ 86 1/2, 100 @ 86 1/2, 50 @ 86 1/2.
Quebec Ry. Com.—430 @ 9 1/2, 100 @ 9 1/2, 415 @ 10, 5 @ 10 3/8, 45 @ 10 1/2, 25 @ 11.
Ames Com.—5 @ 15.
C. Cottons—25 @ 27.
Pennams—1 @ 50.
Merchants' Bank—20 @ 180.
Afternoon
C. P. R.—50 @ 61 1/4.
Steamships Com.—40 @ 11.
Carriage Factories Com.—10 @ 26 1/2, 61 @ 37.
Dom. Iron—100 @ 43 3/8.
Steel Co. Com.—10 @ 32 1/2.
Laur. Polp—25 @ 167, 20 @ 167 1/2.
Crown Reserve—50 @ 33.
N. S. Steel—60 @ 85 1/2, 50 @ 85 1/2.
Quebec Ry.—10 @ 11, 75 @ 11 1/2, 50 @ 11 1/2, 312 @ 12, 25 @ 12 1/2, 10 @ 12 1/2, 25 @ 12 1/2, 50 @ 12 1/2, 385 @ 13.
Merchants' Bank—29 @ 180.
Ames Holden Com.—135 @ 15.

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The steamer D. J. PURDY will sail from North End for Fredericton and intermediate points every MONDAY, WEDNESDAY and FRIDAY at 8:30 a.m., returning ALTERNATE DAYS, leaving Fredericton 7:30 a.m.
The "D. J. Purdy" and "Majestic" can be chartered at any time for Excursions and Picnics.

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The steamer "MAJESTIC" will sail from North End for Cole's Island and intermediate points every TUESDAY, THURSDAY and SATURDAY at 10 a.m., returning alternate days, leaving Cole's Island at six a.m.
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Leave Grand Manan Wednesday 7 a. m. for St. Stephen. Returning leave St. Stephen Thursday 7 a. m. for Grand Manan, both ways via Campobello, Eastport and St. Andrew.
Leave Grand Manan Friday 6:30 a. m. for St. John direct, arriving 11 a. m. Returning leave St. John 2:30 p. m. for Grand Manan, arriving 7 p. m. same day.
Leave Grand Manan Saturdays 7 a. m. for St. Andrew, arriving 11 a. m. returning same day 1:30 p. m. for Grand Manan, both ways via Campobello and Eastport.
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MINIATURE ALMANAC.
September—Phases of the Moon.
Last Quarter . . . 1st 10h 57m p.m.
New Moon . . . 9th 6h 53m p.m.
First Quarter . . . 16th 3h 21m p.m.
Full Moon . . . 23rd 6h 30m p.m.

Date. Day. W. of W. Sun. Rise. Sun. Sets. H. Water a. m. L. Water p. m.

16 Thu 6:09 6:29 4:21 16:46 10:40 23:19
17 Fri 6:10 6:27 5:31 17:57 11:46 . . .
18 Sat 6:11 6:25 6:46 19:12 12:58 13:00
19 Sun 6:12 6:23 7:57 20:22 14:10 14:15
20 Mon 6:13 6:22 9:09 21:22 15:19 15:19

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PRODUCE

(McDOUGALL & COWANS.)
Chicago, Sept. 15.—Wheat, No. 2 red, nominal; No. 3 red, 1.08 to 1.11 1/2; No. 2 hard, nominal; No. 3 hard, 1.08 to 1.10.
Corn—No. 2 yellow, 75 1/2 to 77; others nominal.
Oats—No. 3 white, 33 1/2 to 34 1/2; barley, 37 1/2 to 38.
Rye—No. 2, 50 to 50.
Timothy—5.50 to 8.00.
Clover—11 to 16.00.
Pork—12.65; lard, 8.15 to 8.17; ribs, 7.75 to 8.27.

MONTREAL MARKET

(McDOUGALL & COWANS.)

Bid.	Ask.
Ames Holden Com.	15 1/2
Ames Holden Pfd.	56
Brazilian L. H. and P.	54
Canada Car Pfd.	106 1/2
Canada Cement Pfd.	115
Canada Cement Pfd.	28
Canada Cement Pfd.	90 1/2
Can. Cotton	27
Crown Reserve	33
Detroit United	62
Dom. Bridge	143 1/2
Dom. Cannery	116
Dom. Iron Pfd.	93
Dom. Iron Com.	43 1/2
Dom. Tex. Com.	71 1/2
Laurentide Paper Co.	167
Lake of Woods	134 1/2
MacDonald Com.	10
Minn. and St. Paul	116
Mt. L. H. and Power	215
N. Scotia Steel and C.	85 1/2
Ottawa L. and P.	120
Ogilvie	134 1/2
Pennamit Limited	59
Quebec Railway	13 1/2
Shaw W. and P. Co.	117 1/2
Sher. Williams Com.	55
Spanish River Com.	5
Steel Co. Can. Pfd.	32 1/2
Steel Co. Can. Pfd.	84 1/2
Toronto Halls	111
Tuckets Tobacco	20
Winnipeg Elect.	189

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET SALES

(McDOUGALL & COWANS.)

High.	Low.	Close.
Jan.	11.38	11.09
Mar.	68	42
May	94	72
Oct.	10.88	10.58

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Newcastle, Sept. 14—Old bkr Actuar, Mauritzsen, Limerick.
Bathurst, Old stmr Skrymer, trans-Atlantic port.

BRITISH PORTS.

Tor Bay, Sept. 12—Ardr str Camperdown, Tose, Sydney, C. B.
Cardiff, Sept. 10—Ardr str Brauntown, Sherbon, Lewisport, Nfld, 11th, stmr Anglo Patagonian, Lord, New York
Sid Sept 10, stmr Albert Hall, Bowen, Montreal.
Brow Head, Sept. 12—Ardr str Orlando V. Woolven, Urquhart, Nelson, N. B., for British port.
Passed Sept. 13, stmr Skuld (Nor), Gairtelson, Sydney, C. B.

FOREIGN PORTS.

Boothbay Harbor, Sept. 13—Ardr schrs Edna, New York; Arthur M. Gibson, do; Isiah K. Stetson, do; Will Ham B. Marvel, do; Horrensta, Machias; Kennebec, Calais.
New York, Sept. 13—Ardr schr F. C. Pendleton, Pendleton, Philadelphia Sept. 3, for St. John, N. B.
Oneglia, Sept. 5—Ardr bark Ethel Clarke, Stevens, Mobile.
Newark, Sept. 13—Ardr stmr Thyra Hillsboro.
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Boston, Sept. 13—Cld schr Two Sisters, St. John.

MARINE NOTES.

British schooner, 96 tons, coal, Philadelphia to St. John, N. B. \$1,600; schooner, 482 tons, coal, Philadelphia to Bath, \$1.
Str La Plandre (Dutch) reports Aug 14, lat 48 15 N, lon 29 52 W, passed the derelict schr Gypsum Queen, of Barbados, waterlogged, masts gone and decks broken open.
Str Harmatris (Br), reports Aug 20, lat 49 55 N, lon 9 15 W, saw the wreck of a sailing vessel on her beam ends, partly submerged.
War news at sea daily on board a fishing schooner is the latest, but nevertheless the Tattler's men were well served in this line, through the medium of French trawlers, all of which are equipped with wireless.

Bath, Me., Sept. 13—Information that schr Florence M. Penley, from Rio Janeiro for Baltimore, was abandoned in a gale off the coast of Cuba, was received here today in a cable message from Capt M. L. Jameson to Percy N. Small, managing owner of the schooner. Capt. Jameson and the eight members of the crew were picked up by a passing steamer and landed in Cuba.
Key West, Fla., Sept. 12—Str D N Luckenbach, which arrived here today from Baltimore, stranded at Hillsboro Inlet, jettisoned about 500 tons of cargo and floated apparently undamaged.

London, Sept. 13—Bark Frank (Nor), Olsen, from Mobile for Buenos Ayres, before reported ashore on Colorado, is a total loss.

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BASEBALL IN THE BIG LEAGUES

AMERICAN LEAGUE Detroit 4, New York 2 New York, Sept. 15.—Detroit gained a full game on Boston, the league leaders today, when it won again from New York, 4 to 2, while Chicago was defeating Boston. The score: Detroit..... 00801000—4 8 1 New York..... 00001010—2 6 1 Batteries—Boinand and Stange; Caldwell and Nunamaker Chicago 3, Boston 1 Boston, Sept. 15.—Faber's shoots dimmed the eyes of Red Sox batsmen today, Boston getting only one hit off his delivery and Chicago won, 3 to 1. The score: Chicago..... 000101100—3 8 0 Boston..... 00000000—1 0 0 Batteries—Faber and Schalk; Gregg and Cady, Thomas Cleveland 5, Washington 0 Washington, Sept. 15.—Brenton held shut-out by the locals, while Cleveland found Harper and Gallia for six safeties, including two doubles, which with several passes and brilliant base running by Evans and Roth netted the visitors five runs. The score: Cleveland..... 00000000—5 4 1 Washington..... 00000000—0 4 1 Batteries—Brenton and Egan; Harper, Gallia and Williams. (Only three Americans scheduled.)

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE Montreal 5, Harrisburg 3 Montreal, Sept. 15.—Montreal today won from Harrisburg, 5 to 3, in a close game practically decided by the visitors' errors. The score: Harrisburg..... 01010000—3 8 3 Montreal..... 03020000—5 8 0 Batteries: Schacht and Heckinger; Cadore and Madden Providence loses first place. Buffalo, Sept. 15.—Pat Donovan's struggling Bisons took the league leadership from Providence today by defeating the Greys in both games of a double-header, 5-4 and 5-0. The score: First game—Providence..... 2100010000—4 12 0 Buffalo..... 0000010000—5 11 2 Second game—Providence..... 00000000—0 7 2 Buffalo..... 00050000—5 11 1 Batteries: Ayers and Casey; Tyson and Onley Rochester 9, Jersey City 4 Rochester, Sept. 15.—Rochester and Jersey City broke even today in a double-header, the home club taking the first game, 9 to 4, and the Skeeters winning the second, 11 to 8. The score: First game—Rochester..... 11200000—4 12 0 Jersey City..... 250000—9 15 2 Second game—Rochester..... 01030000—11 15 0 Jersey City..... 00012050—8 13 2 Batteries: Ring, Brucke and Schwert; Farestaur and Williams. Toronto-Richmond, postponed, rain.

NATIONAL LEAGUE Chicago 1, Boston 0 Chicago, Sept. 15.—A fast fight between Umpire Byron and "Red" Smith, third baseman of the Boston Braves, marked the final game of the year between Chicago and Boston today. Chicago won the contest, 1 to 0. The score: Chicago..... 00000000—0 3 0 Boston..... 00000100—1 5 2 Batteries—Tyler and Whaling; Gowdy, Douglas and Bresnahan Pittsburgh 1, Philadelphia 0 Pittsburgh, Sept. 15.—Pittsburgh shut out Philadelphia today, 1 to 0. The score: Philadelphia..... 00000000—0 9 1 Pittsburgh..... 00000010—1 4 0 Batteries—Mayer and Burns; Kantleher and Gibson. (Only two Nationals scheduled.)

FEDERAL LEAGUE Baltimore 3, Pittsburg 0 Baltimore, Sept. 15.—Pittsburg was

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WOODSTOCK TRIMS HOULTON

Special to The Standard. Woodstock, N. B., Sept. 15.—A large crowd witnessed the ball game in Connell Park this afternoon between Houlton and Woodstock. The locals won, 8 to 2, Houlton making its scores in the last inning. Dr. H. M. Martell gave satisfaction as umpire. The twirling of McGibbon was of a high class and he was well supported by Faulkner his catcher. The proceeds go to purchase baseball outfits for the Woodstock boys at the front, 40 of whom are in Major Anderson's battery on the firing line and local boys in England. Following are the players and score by innings: Houlton—Weed, 2b, Good as, Deasy c, McElwee 3b, Irvine lf, Harrigan p, Sheehan cf, Grant, 1b, Iott, rf. Woodstock—Kelly 2b, McGibbon, p, Clarke 3b, Faulkner c, McLean 1b, Fewer lf, McKinnon ss, D. Faulkner rf, Manner cf. (Only three Federals scheduled.)

ST. STEPHEN FAIR MEET

Special to The Standard. St. Stephen, Sept. 15.—The horse races this afternoon were well contested and watched by a large crowd. The events resulted as follows: 227 Trot and 230 Pace. Jack Parker, C. Cone, Calais 1 1 1 Martha DeForest, W. V. Dowse Ft. Fairfield 4 2 2 Bdadk Bess, G. McBride, St. Stephen 2 3 3 S. E. Todd, P. McKinnon, Bangor 3 4 4 Little Johnnie, J. Mercier, Princeton 5 5 dr Best time—2:18.

217 Trot and 220 Pace. Garry A. Southard, Ft. Fairfield 2 1 1 Lucky Baldwin, Cone 1 2 2 Baron Patchen, Keys, St. Stephen 3 3 3 Best time—2:17. It is expected that Lady Fondly, who was injured at Calais last week, will start tomorrow.

PATRIOTIC FUND. C. B. Allan, secretary-treasurer, acknowledges the following contributions: Mrs. "S".....\$10.00 Birthday gift from a man with two sons at the front......61 D. D. S. Likely, Sept..... 5.00 Rev. Ralph Sherman, Sept..... 5.00 Rev. Dr. and Mrs. J. Roy Campbell..... 6.00 C. B. Allan, Sept.....10.00 Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Crawford, Sept..... 2.00

TWO RECORDS NAILED UP

Syracuse, N. Y., Sept. 15.—Directum I, champion pacing stallion, established a new world's record of 1:56.34 for a mile paced without a windshield at the New York State Fair here this afternoon. In so doing he lowered his own record of 1:58. The track was the fastest of the season. Another world's record was lowered when Captain David Shaw, of Cleveland, drove Peter Mac in 2:06.14, a new amateur mark for a mile track. In addition to the breaking of two world's records the world's champion four-year-old trotter, Peter Volo, 2:02, also driven by Thomas Murphy, equalled his own record, negotiating the mile in 2:02 flat. Summary: 224 Trot, The Kancosa Three-Year-Olds, (2 m 3), Purse \$3,000. Deroche, ch c, by John A. McKerron—Lady Grattan, (Geers).....1 1 1 Bendella, b f, (Murphy).....3 2 2 Colorado Range, b c, (McDonald).....2 5 3 North Spur, blk s, (Cox).....5 3 3 Florence White, b m, (Valentine).....4 4 4 Rusticart, ch c, (Andrews).....4 4 4 Time—2:08 1/2; 2:09 1/4; 2:08 3/4. 211 Pace, The Chamber of Commerce (3 Heat Plan); Purse \$5,000 Russell Boy, b s, by Russell Maud (Geers).....6 1 1 Hal Boy, b g, (McMahon).....1 2 2 Acosta, b h, (Cox).....2 3 4 Queen Abess, br m, (White).....5 8 3 Judge Ormonde, blk h, (Valentine).....3 7 7 Major Woolworth, gr h, (Hubbard).....9 4 5 Ashtook, ch g, (Davis).....7 5 6 Anna Carl, blk m, (Garrison).....9 9 8 Peter Farren, b h, (Murphy).....8 dr Time—2:02 1/4; 2:02 1/4; 2:03 1/4. American Horse Breeder Futurity, Two-Year-Olds (2 m 3); Purse \$5,000 Walnut Tree, b f, by Silko Markala, (Murphy).....1 1 Alantika, ch f, (J. Dickerson).....2 2 Binsen Silk, b c, (Chandler).....3 3 Ollie Watts, b f, (Cox).....4 4 Time—2:12 1/4; 2:13. 214 Trot, Empire State (3 Heats) Purse \$10,000 Peter Scott, b h, by Peter The Great, (Murphy).....1 1 1 Worthy Prince, b h, (Cox).....2 5 2 Bronson, br g, (Graves).....1 2 2 Dick Watts, b s, (Rohrer).....6 3 3 Lottie Lee, b m, (Andrews).....3 6 4 Loe Blossom, ch m, (Floyd).....4 9 5 Miss Directed, b m, (McDevitt).....7 4 8 The Guide, br g, (Geers).....9 8 6 McCloskey, br g, (McDonald).....10 7 9 Todd Temple, br g, (Snow).....5 dr Time—2:05 1/2; 2:05 1/4; 2:06 3/4.

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THE WEATHER.

Forecasts.

Maritime — Southwest and west winds, fair and warmer.

Washington, Sept. 15.—Forecast: Northern New England —Fair Thursday; cooler except in southeast Maine; Friday probably fair. Moderate west winds.

Toronto, Sept. 15.—The weather has been very warm today in Ontario and Quebec, and thunderstorms have been prevalent in both provinces. The temperature continues rising in the western provinces, and is likely to raise in the Maritime provinces, where the weather for two days has been cold and showery.

Temperatures.

	Min.	Max.
Prince Rupert	50	60
Victoria	50	58
Calgary	30	60
Prince Albert	28	46
Moose Jaw	40	64
Regina	35	59
Winnipeg	34	70
Fort Arthur	38	62
Parry Sound	66	80
London	70	87
Toronto	68	87
Kingston	68	80
Ottawa	68	88
Montreal	60	88
Quebec	54	84
Halifax	54	64

Around the City

Allan Line.
Allan liner Corinthian is reported due Montreal Friday morning.

Golf Tea.
The usual monthly tea of the ladies of the Golf Club will be held this afternoon if the weather permits.

Charged with Stealing.
Charles Stackhouse was arrested yesterday by Policeman Armstrong on a warrant. He is charged with stealing.

Is Promoted.
Sergeant Guy R. Turner of the 1st Company, Canadian Engineers, is again back at the front and has been promoted to the rank of sergeant major.

Windows Broken.
About ten or fifteen windows in the warehouse back of the C. P. R. elevator were broken Monday last, probably by boys. The matter has been reported to the police.

26th to France.
A private cable received from England said the 26th New Brunswick Battalion was leaving immediately for France. It was expected that the regiment would go over yesterday.

Dr. Harrison's Farewell.
Captain the Rev. Dr. Harrison, who has been staying at the Clifton House this week, having been in the city attending the Presbytery meetings in St. Andrew's church, returns to St. George's this morning and will preach his farewell sermon on Sunday prior to his reporting at Camp Sussex.

Rev. Mr. Franklyn Remains.
It was mentioned last week that Rev. J. H. Franklyn, of St. Philip's church, was likely to be transferred elsewhere. Bishop Smith, however, has reconsidered the matter, and suggests that the proposed St. John-Michigan changes stand over until May, 1916, when the General Conference will be held and transfers made.

Rubbish on Wharf.
Three barrels containing rubbish and five empty barrels have been left by somebody on the Public wharf at Indian town and the matter has been reported to the North End police, by the Harbor Master. Persons who are responsible for leaving the barrels there can save further trouble by having them removed.

The Dog Show.
Workmen are now engaged in erecting the benches for the dog show which opens in the Queen's Park on Tuesday next. Entries are being received at the Dufferin sample rooms, south side of King Square, each evening up to Saturday next, after which day none will be accepted. As the proceeds of the show are to be given to patriotic purposes much interest in it is being taken by the general public and it is expected that it will be the largest exhibition of its kind ever held in the lower provinces.

Moore Street Retaining Wall.
Work on the retaining wall on Moore street is to be commenced this week. The wall was in bad shape and to avoid serious consequences in case it should collapse, the Common Council authorized its renewal. The pavement of Acadia street, from High street to the foot is to be commenced also. The pavement is to be of tar macadam and is to include granite curbs and sidewalks. The money for this work was provided by bond issue some time ago in connection with the renewal of a retaining wall.

Silk Moire Underskirts.
English silk moire has a reputation for wearing such as is held by no other fabric. F. A. Dykeman & Co. are showing a line of ladies' underskirts made from this splendid material which will give a maximum wear at a minimum cost. The cost of this splendid silk undershirt beautifully made in only \$3.25. They come in a range of colors and have been imported especially for the fall and winter wear.

THE CITIZENS' COMMITTEE ON RECRUITING ENLARGED

Business men asked to take a deeper interest in the War and encourage the men to go — Mrs. Brown and Sergt. Knight speak.

About seventy-five prominent citizens were present at the Board of Trade rooms yesterday afternoon at the invitation of the citizens' committee on recruiting. Addresses were given by Mrs. Netta Brown and Sergeant Knight. A few matters of detail in connection with the general plans for furthering the cause of recruiting were discussed and considered. These included readjustment of committees and how far it will be possible to sustain further interest in the campaign by energetic effort. The question as to whether a women's committee on recruiting would meet with the approval of the citizens' committee was brought forward, and the unanimous opinion of those present was that such a committee would be an invaluable aid in securing more men.

E. A. Schofield suggested the infusion of new life in the work of the citizens' committee. He said that the ice has as yet been only broken, and much more effective work might be undertaken if the constitution of the committee could be reorganized in some way with the idea of bringing in, from time to time, new men to help in the general work of the committee. Senator Thorne spoke of the need for continuing the work which the citizens' committee has taken in hand. The general question as to how far it would be advisable to reconstitute, or reorganize the existing committee of twenty-five was discussed at length. Senator Daniel, W. F. Hatheway, Rev. Dr. Hutchinson, T. H. Estabrooks, A. M. Beiding, A. H. Wetmore, Senator Thorne and others taking part. It was ultimately decided that the present committee of twenty-five shall continue in office, the chairman being at liberty to add six or ten more names when necessary.

The following were added to the speakers' and meetings' committee: J. P. Gregory, J. O'Keefe, E. L. Rising, C. B. Lockhart, M. L. A., J. M. Robinson, Thomas Gorman, Rev. M. E. Fletcher and W. A. Lockhart. They will meet in the Board of Trade rooms this morning at ten o'clock to arrange for a meeting tonight in King Square, and generally to forward efforts in the direction of holding future meetings, with competent speakers present, to keep alive the campaign. There will be a general meeting of the citizens' committee at 3.30 this afternoon.

The Speakers.
Mrs. Netta Brown, in the course of a short but interesting address said that she confessed to a little disappointment at the attendance of her listeners in St. John last Tuesday.

LIEUT. EDGAR MARCH BOMBING OFFICER OF 26TH BATTALION
Took special course in London to qualify for position — Saw his brother Dudley.

Mrs. C. March, of 95 Coburg street, has received a letter from her son, Lieut. J. Edgar March, formerly city editor of The Standard, who went overseas with the 26th Battalion. Lieut. March writes from East Sandling Camp, on August 28th, and speaks of a visit to London, where he went to take a special course, to enable him to qualify for an appointment as bombing officer. He states that the course was interesting and difficult, and took five days. It consisted of a comprehensive study of the different kinds of bombs and the engines for throwing these deadly missiles. The course was taken in the war department yards, where there is the most modern and up-to-date equipment for this purpose. On the Monday following, the Battalion was ordered out on a route march that lasted four days, during which the officers and men all slept on the ground in their kits. He states that he enjoyed the tramp immensely, and was much impressed with the magnitude of the operations in which upwards of 50,000 men participated. Lieut. March was sitting on a fence near Ashford, where the maneuvers were being carried on, reading some letters he had just received from home, when the Canadian 6th Mounted Rifles marched past, and he noticed his brother Dudley, in the ranks, carrying a stretcher. He said the boy looked fine, in fact better than he had ever seen him look. Lieut. March passed his examinations successfully, and has been appointed battalion bombing officer. He says, "this position is not as dangerous as it sounds, except for the Germans, and I hope it will be very dangerous for them when we start in." While in London, he saw several plays, but was so busy with his work that he did not get around as much as he would have liked to. He states that the men in his regiment are in fine health and enjoying themselves, but are all anxious to get to the front and "take a crack at the Hun."

WEDDINGS.
Williams-Webb.
The wedding of Robert T. Williams and Beattie Etta Webb, both of Queens county, took place yesterday morning at the home of the bride's aunt, Mrs. W. L. Purves, 139 Victoria street, Rev. B. H. Nobles officiating. The bride was gowned in a suit of Belgian blue cloth, with picture hat and white plumes. The groom's gift to the bride was a gold locket and chain. The happy couple left after the ceremony by the Boston boat with the best wishes of their friends. They will reside in Boston.

Every theatre goer and every picture fan should read the announcement of the Lyric Theatre in another column. The famous "Who Pays" series starts today.

LIEUT. HAZEN SOON TO FIRING LINE IN FRANCE

Son of Minister of Marine and Fisheries serving in Empire forces.

Lieutenant J. M. Hazen, son of Hon. J. D. Hazen, Minister of Marine and Fisheries, has arrived in England with



LIEUTENANT J. M. HAZEN, Now in England with Field Battery, the 30th Field Battery, C. E. F., in which he holds a commission.

Lieutenant Hazen was a cadet in the Royal Military College at Kingston and was selected by the commandant of the college for a commission in the 30th Field Battery, which had been drilling at Camp Niagara. He went over on the steamer Hesperian in charge of a draft of fifty men and expects soon to be on the firing line. Lieutenant Hazen was the first boy in New Brunswick to receive a first class boy scout certificate.

ODD FELLOW VISITORS HAVE GONE TO DIGBY

The visiting Odd Fellows, from Winnisimmet Lodge, Chelsea, Mass., will leave by boat this morning for Digby where they will exemplify the second degree on Friday night.

The entertainment of the visitors yesterday was arranged by the members of the local lodges. In the afternoon buckboards were provided and accompanied by local brethren, points of interest in and about the city were visited. Last night the visitors were entertained at a smoker in the rooms of Peerless Lodge, at which R. E. Coupe, one of the oldest members of the order in New Brunswick, presided.

An informal programme was carried out. Speeches were made by the following: W. B. Belyea, Grand Master of New Brunswick; Messrs. Coleman, Douglas, Babb and Chad of Winnisimmet Lodge; Judge Chesley, Past Grand Master of Lunenburg, N. S.; Dr. Phillips, of Berlin, Ont.; Wm. Murdoch, M. D. Brown, H. E. Codner, Messrs. Sanderson, Carter and Dr. A. D. Smith. Others taking part in the programme were John Salmon, J. A. Murdoch, Henry McEachern and Messrs. Mitchell and Cunningham. During the evening refreshments were provided. The entertainment was closed by singing *Auld Lang Syne*. The visitors were much pleased with their reception here, and extended an invitation to the local lodges to return the visit. If arrangements can be made a degree team may be sent to Boston and Chelsea within the next twelve months.

PERSONAL.

Among the passengers to Ottawa last evening were Angus McLean and J. B. Hachey, M. L. A. of Bathurst, and Thomas Nagle of this city. W. B. Belyea of Woodstock, Grand Master of the Grand Lodge I.O.O.F. of the Maritime Provinces, who has been in the city in connection with the visit of the members of Winnisimmet Lodge, I.O.O.F., of Chelsea, Mass., will return to his home today. While here he has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Murdoch. Mrs. John J. Ryan, Jr., regrets that the invitations issued for Thursday afternoon, September 16th, must be recalled owing to unexpected absence from Hampton on that date. Mrs. F. L. Kerr is spending a few days at St. Stephen, attending the exhibition. Allan Doig, formerly of St. John, who has been located in Halifax for some time past, is spending a few days here.

For particulars of patriotic auction see page 5 of this issue. To Whom It May Concern I do hereby forbid any person giving credit to any person on my account without my written authority. (Signed) J. E. WARING.

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